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FARM BUREAU TO MAKE \$40 INITIAL ADVANCE ON COTTON

Ruling Advances \$15 over Former Arrangement—Announcement Gratifying To Farmers and Merchants Alike—Will Also Class Crop Locally—Bureau Agent To Assist.

Farm bureau members in Wilbarger county will receive \$40 a bale advance on their cotton in place of \$25, according to a telegram received Friday by the county agent. The new ruling is one which is most gratifying to farmers and townspeople, as it furnishes the grower with more funds when he needs them most, right at the start.

As soon as the cotton is sent to Dallas and a middling basis grade determined for it, \$10 more will be forthcoming as an advance. Under the former system after the \$25 advance was made, the second amount was also \$25.

Bankers Well Pleased.

Local bankers also expressed themselves as well pleased, according to the county agent. The new ruling permits cotton growers to receive the most consequential sum when it can be used to the best advantage in meeting debts, and making long deferred purchases.

Arrangements have been made here for a local classing of cotton when it is brought in. Bill Bowman, who has been receiving cotton for the bureau at the warehouses, will now also grade it. This is for the purpose of making the initial advance to farmers.

Bureau Agent Coming.

A farm bureau agent is expected in Vernon Friday morning to work out permanent details concerning the \$40 advance to growers. He will stay here until the situation is entirely cleared up.

RICHARDS FAVORS BOND ISSUE.

Fargo Resident Believes Project Offers Finest Settlement Of Every One's Interest.

T. H. Richards of Fargo favors the proposed bond issue for Wilbarger county because he is of the opinion that it provides the most equitable means of solving the good roads problem.

"Paving one highway won't help so many folks," Mr. Richards says. "And I know it will not be of much use to me. Where we have paved roads stretching in every direction, and some money spent on the dirt roads so we can get to the pavement, it is going to benefit a world more people than the other way."

"We have to have good roads and I don't see any other way to provide them. My mind is made up on the proposition."

Thinks Majority Favor Issue.

Eighty per cent of those tax payers in the northeastern portion of the county and in the neighborhoods of Fargo, Tolbert, and in the territory between Oklahoma and Vernon favor the road bond issue, in the estimation of William Blackwood, who is working as one of the good roads committee. Sentiment generally is considerably stronger than is estimated, Mr. Blackwood thinks.

Seniors Win At Football.

High school seniors trounced juniors in a football game 28 to 0 Friday afternoon at the fairgrounds in a one-sided contest. A majority of senior players were members of the school's first team, and were able to gain practically at will through their opponents. Small Bramblett and Coltzter starred in the backfield for the victors.

Says Country Needs Rain.

"I'd like to see some rain mighty well," ventured a farmer living southwest of town in discussing crop conditions. "I'm about through with wheat drilling and the ground needs moisture badly. The way it is now a person scarcely knows what to do. It is too late to prepare the ground over and all there is to do is to wait. Rain last Friday barely touched us. I believe the heaviest part must have been toward the east."

Schools File For State Aid.

About twenty-six county schools have applications for state aid on file, according to L. A. Hollar, superintendent. Mr. Hollar hopes to have most of those remaining unfilled in by the middle of the week.

PRETTIEST BABY BLONDES IN ENGLAND



A photographic study of the two pretty daughters of Candler Cobb, who has been appointed American Commercial Attaché in London. The children, both blondes, have been described as the most beautiful blonde children in England. Mr. Cobb has studied and practiced law in New York City and was Assistant United States Attorney in New York during the war, specializing on restrictions of foreign trade and fraudulent passports. He is a graduate of Harvard University and also attended Oxford University.

COTTON TAKES SHARP DECLINE

LOCAL MARKET SHOWS DROP OF FIFTEEN POINTS AT OPENING

Cotton quotations took a sharp decline yesterday and the spot price paid on the street here was in the neighborhood of nineteen cents a pound. The market Saturday took a slight downward closing, but on the whole was about the same as that of the previous three or four days.

Today's opening showed Liverpool down about fifty American points which was considerably in excess of what had been anticipated. Cotton for December was down eleven points at first call, and nine at the second. January quotations were down seventeen points. The local market was down about fifteen points over yesterday. All markets showed a sharp decline yesterday. Seed in Vernon today is \$30 a ton.

Spinners Influence Market.

A communication to E. P. Hicks from H. and B. Beer Co., a well-established cotton buying firm, gives interesting data on the outlook. Following is in part the substance of the letter:

"In an effort to influence markets to a lower level, spinners refrained from buying of spots to any extent in the South during the past week, resulting in smaller sales, capital of which was made to depress values. The reason sales were smaller was that the interior refused to sell freely at the decline, as advices from the country are to effect that the demand was in excess of offerings, the interior standing 'pat' in its determination to obtain a fair price for this year's very small yield.

Until of late there was a ravenous demand for the staple, which will be reflected soon in exporters' and spinners' takings assuming larger proportions in the future, and they are running well ahead of last season and season before last already. Weekly take reviews report steady progress being made in the recovery of business to a normal plane, and the more seasonable weather prevailing, the country having been visited with the season's first touch of winter, will help trade all the more, especially in textiles, which are ruling firm and in good request, with the tendency to higher price levels still.

Ginnings May Decrease.

Ginnings in the future will likely be

ATTORNEY-GENERAL TO HEAR WITNESSES

C. M. CURETON ARRIVES FOR INVESTIGATION OF RED RIVER DISPUTE.

C. M. Cureton, State attorney-general, was expected in Vernon at 2 o'clock this afternoon to begin his work here in connection with the Red river boundary dispute between Texas and Oklahoma. This afternoon, according to a message given over the long distance phone, he expected to go to Doans settlement and territory north of Vernon for the purpose of making investigations.

A hearing of witnesses will be conducted at the court house beginning at 9 o'clock tomorrow morning. All those wanted for this purpose have been notified to appear.

Strenuous efforts are being made at this time to collect all possible evidence to be used in the suit. Much of this work is being done by Mr. Cureton personally.

CHRISTIAN CHURCH MEETINGS CONDUCTED TWICE DAILY

Services are being conducted twice daily at the Central Christian Church under the leadership of Rev. Charles Chasteen. They are being held at 10 a. m. and 7:30 p. m., and commenced Sunday. Rev. Gus Ramage, local pastor, is leading the singing. Attendance thus far has been very good. The meeting is expected to last about two weeks.

Last night the visiting minister preached on the "Feeding of the Five Thousand." His sermons this morning and yesterday morning dealt with the "Sermon on the Mount."

Hill Crest Members Enjoy Dance.

Hill Crest Club members enjoyed an informal dance Saturday night. A cheery fire for the first time in the dining room grate added to the pleasantness of the occasion. Local music was furnished.

Arrest Man Wanted In Wichita.

John Simmons, wanted by police of Wichita Falls, was taken last night by the sheriff's force. He is being held pending the arrival of Wichita officers.

To Have Dance Thursday

The Entertainment Committee of Hill Crest Country Club announces a dance for Thursday night, at 9:30 o'clock.

ELLIOTT WANTS PAVEMENT FROM LINE TO LINE

Sentiment At Meeting Last Night Thought to Indicate Stand Of East Part of County—Would Not Object To "Mile Or Two In Other Directions"—Other Parts of County Favor.

Sentiment at Elliott was found strongly opposed to the proposed \$300,000 road bond issue for Wilbarger county by a committee of four advocates who last night conducted a meeting over the Frank Steinman store. About fifty persons were present, and Dr. J. C. King of Harrold presided. Those on the committee were County Judge E. L. McHugh, Commissioner A. M. Bourland, Lon Byars, and Cy Long.

Details of the proposed issue were carefully explained by Judge McHugh but the proposition was without favor from the Elliott voters. When asked concerning their wishes for a bond issue, it was pointed out that the most acceptable proposition to the community would be a paved highway stretching from the eastern county line to the western. In the event that those in the northern and southern parts of the county felt they were not receiving sufficient benefit from such a project, those at the meeting stated, there would be no objection to providing them with a mile or two of pavement in their respective directions.

Believes Stand Will Aid.

In commenting upon this view of the proposition, one member of the committee stated that such a stand would clearly sway those in the other parts of the county who are opposed to the present proposed issue to the opposite side when they realize that one section of Wilbarger is advocating the construction of thirty miles of pavement for its benefit, and only one or two for those who will not enjoy the use of the main highway. Furthermore, under the Elliott plan, the project would cost at least twice as much with an attendant less benefit to the majority of taxpayers.

Sentiment at Elliott appeared unfavorable to any considerable expenditure of money on the dirt roads of the county, one of the committee stated.

W. B. Covert, who owns considerable land in Wilbarger county, is heartily in favor of the issue. In talking over the proposition with members of the good roads committee he indicated that he would be glad to ask his tenants to vote for the project.

T. F. Davis of Rayland, thinks sentiment in his part of the county unanimous in favor of the bond issue. Mr. Davis has been doing farm bureau evangelistic work in his community as well as over this section, and has been in a position to thoroughly test public opinion.

Glad To Assist.

Andy Dicus of Tolbert gladly acceded to the request that he circulate a list in his community for good roads converts to sign. Mr. Dicus reported yesterday that thus far he has found only two opponents of the issue in the town where he lives.

"I was formerly against all bond issues," said Mr. Dicus in commenting on the proposed Wilbarger project, "but I am heart and soul in favor of this one."

"I recently returned from a visit with my brother in Grayson county where the section is noted for good roads. Those who have never enjoyed travel over stretches like those cannot realize their real benefit. Why, I didn't have to hit the ground once and went all over the county."

Brother Converted.

"When the issue first came up down there, my brother was against it. Since the roads have been completed, he has been a staunch advocate of well-kept highways, and says if there is anyone in his county who does not have a good road, he is willing to vote more bonds to provide them with the same."

"The only trouble that I meet with up here is that everyone I run across is out on the same mission I am,—getting folks to sign up."

In commenting upon the sentiment at Tolbert, a member of the good roads committee made the statement that if every community supported the good roads project for Wilbarger in the same manner, there would exist no doubt but that the issue would carry overwhelmingly.

Lockett Favors Project.

J. B. Lockett of Lockett, Texas, his son

SOUTHERN BEAUTY CHOSEN SPONSOR



Miss Elizabeth Atkins.

Miss Elizabeth Atkins, of Chattanooga, Tennessee, is one of the Southern beauties who will grace the reunion of the United Confederate Veterans to be held at Chattanooga from October 25 to 27. Miss Atkins is sponsor for the Chattanooga Corps, Forrest's Cavalry.

MISS MCCROSKEY WEDS L. G. WITHERS

WEDDING OCCURS AT BRIDE'S HOME LAST SUNDAY AFTERNOON.

Miss Lena McCroskey, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. D. D. McCroskey of this city, was married at 2:30 Sunday afternoon at the bride's home to L. G. Withers. Only immediate relatives of Miss McCroskey were present. Rev. W. T. Rouse performed the ceremony.

The bride was born near Chillicothe and has lived in Vernon fourteen years, receiving the majority of her education here. She graduated from the local high school in 1920. Of late she has been employed in the office of the district clerk. Mr. and Mrs. Withers are well-known here and have many friends locally.

Withers Here Many Years.

Mr. Withers has lived here many years, and until recently was employed at the Conger Sheet Metal Co. Within the last week he has opened a fish and oyster market on North Cumberland street. The young couple will make their home on East Wilbarger street.

Community is for the bond issue. Sentiment is favorable, he said, not because Lockett will get any of the pavement, but citizens there have seen the work county commissioners have accomplished with a limited amount of money and machinery. Those in the Lockett community are desirous of seeing all roads fixed as some have been, Mr. Lockett said, and sentiment favors furnishing commissioners with money to keep the roads in shape after they have been constructed.

I. G. Luttrell of Harrold, county commissioner, is of the opinion that sentiment in his community is not as unfavorable as is generally imagined. Sanction of the project, he says, is gradually asserting itself, and there will probably be heavy support when election time arrives.

Is Daughter of Earnest Hempel.

It was erroneously stated in Friday's Record that Miss Martha Hempel, who was married to Henry Janca here last Thursday morning, is the daughter of Earnest Hempel who lives about ten miles southwest of Vernon on the Street farm.

Dance Honoring Peyton Phillips.

An informal dance will be held this evening at the home of Miss Bouiah Ladd on East Wilbarger street in honor of Peyton Phillips, who, with his family, will move to Tampa, Florida the end of the week.

PROHIBITION CODE CLAMPS TIGHT LID

STATE LAW DELIVERS SOLAR PLEXUS TO ALL HOME BREW EXPERTS

Texas's new prohibition code occupies nearly two columns in a recent issue of "The Texas White Ribbon," a W. C. T. U. publication of the State and the measure is set forth in detail for the enlightenment of readers. According to a comment by the editor, the law is not perfect but far surpasses the one formerly in existence.

Following is in brief the text of the new measure:

"It shall be unlawful for any person, directly or indirectly, to manufacture, sell, barter, exchange, transport, export, deliver, solicit, take orders for, or furnish spirituous, vinous, or malt liquors, or medicated bitters capable of producing intoxication, or any other intoxicants whatever, or any equipment for making any such liquors, or to possess, or receive for the purpose of sale any such liquors here prohibited."

Are Lawful With Permit.

It shall be unlawful for any persons directly or indirectly to manufacture, sell, barter, exchange, transport, export, deliver, solicit orders for, or furnish any spirituous, vinous or malt liquors, or medicated bitters, or any potable liquor, mixture or preparation, containing in excess of one per cent alcohol, by volume, or any equipment for making any such liquors, or to possess, receive, transport for the purpose of sale any such liquors herein prohibited.

Another provision specifies that these acts shall not be deemed unlawful after permit has been duly authorized and given by the proper authorities, for medical, mechanical, scientific or sacramental purposes.

It is further set forth that the purchaser, or possessor of any of the liquors herein prohibited shall be held in law or fact to be an accomplice. No person over twenty-five years of age convicted under any of the provisions of this act shall have the benefit of the suspended sentence law.

To Hold "42" Tournament.

The "42" Tournament which will be held at Hill Crest Country Club Friday night will begin at 7:30 o'clock. All those who wish to attend are requested to call Mrs. C. J. Farrell who will be hostess for the occasion. The Club matron will serve sandwiches and hot chocolate to those who desire refreshments after the games but requests for these must be made to Mrs. Farrell by Thursday noon. A charge of ten cents will be made for the sandwiches and the same for the chocolate.

WILBARGER COTTON PICKING TOTAL IS 12,445 BALES

Consensus Of Opinion Indicates That Three-fourths of County Crop Is Gathered—Figures Intimate That Final Yield May Be Surprising—Remainder Of Crop From Sandy Land.

Statistics collected from every cotton gin operating in Wilbarger county indicate that this morning there had been ginned thus far this season 12,445 bales. This figure is considerably higher than has been generally estimated by a majority of those interested in this year's crop. Many were of the opinion that the entire season's receipts would be in the neighborhood of 12,000 bales.

Gin operators and farmers congregated at the various gins were of the opinion this morning that practically three-fourths of the county crop has been gathered. No estimate placed the amount below seventy per cent. Receipts at the local cotton yard thus far are 7,350 bales, and according to the manager, he has weighed as many so far as were received by Christmas last year. Average daily receipts at the yard are 300 bales.

1,000 Bales At Warehouse.

Close to 1,000 bales have been brought to the local warehouse, Lou Byars said this morning. Mr. Byars is of the opinion that most of the cotton remaining to be gathered will be from sandy country. Some parts of the county have finished picking, he said, especially in the neighborhood of Elliott.

One farmer expressed the belief this morning that with a continuance of fair weather almost all of the cotton will be out of the fields in another ten days. He lives in the northeastern portion of the county, and is of the opinion that fully three-fourths of the crop in that section has been gathered. About 1,100 bales of farm bureau cotton have been received at the compress.

Following are the gins operating in the county, and the amount of cotton handled by each. Thatta ginnings are based on the amount handled from Wilbarger alone.

Ginning Records.

Fargo 1,100 bales; Tolbert 200 bales; Lockett 1,144 bales; Rayland 830 bales; Oklahoma 768 bales; Odell 691 bales and 600 bales; Elliott 430 bales; Thatta 220 bales; Vernon Gin 1,180 bales; Peoples 2,015 bales; Farmers 1,334 bales; Planters 1,903 bales.

At Lockett it was reported that the west end of the community is not yet half through gathering, but the immediate vicinity has passed the fifty per cent mark. All of the gins are ahead of their records at this time last year.

Cotton is coming in a steady stream, and the averages of each Vernon gin are from 60 to 70 bales a day. At the Vernon Gin it was reported that the entire season's run last year, two months, yielded 968 bales while one month so far has exceeded that figure by more than 200.

TO ATTEND CONVENTION

A Number of Men and Women Will Go From Here to Confederate Reunion, it is Expected.

The annual reunion of the Confederate Veterans will be held at Chattanooga, Tenn., on October 24 to 27 and it is expected that a number of men and women from this county will attend. Those who wish to attend the convention and take advantage of the low rates offered by the railroads may get their certificates from one of the following people: J. A. Creager, W. C. Lundy, J. M. Loftis, Mrs. J. E. Collins, or Mrs. J. P. Hamilton.

The fare is one cent a mile each way. Tickets are good from October 22 to November 17, with the usual stopover privileges.

The local camp Cabel No. 125 will meet at 2 o'clock next Saturday afternoon at the court house when the final arrangement for going will be made.

Return After Filing Land Claims.

Pat Robinson and Frank Byrd returned last week from Taos county, New Mexico, where each has filed a claim on a section of government land. Mr. and Mrs. Robinson and Mr. and Mrs. Byrd expect to leave early in the spring to live on their holdings for the required seven months period.

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VERNON PASTOR IS SENT TO AMARILLO METHODIST CHURCH

Rev. S. W. Hayne Is Second Man to Go From Local Congregation to Panhandle Metropolis in Three Years—Rev. C. A. Waterfield of Jackson, Tenn., Assigned to Vernon.

For the second time in three years the First Methodist Church of Vernon loses its pastor to Amarillo. Rev. Henry F. Brooks was transferred to Amarillo two years ago, after having served the local church one year following a transfer from the Central Texas Conference.

Last year Rev. S. W. Hayne was transferred to Vernon from Hannibal, Mo. He was read out Sunday night for Polk Street, Amarillo, when Bishop McMurray's appointments for 1921-22 were given to the Annual Conference. C. A. Waterfield, a transfer from Jackson, Tenn., was assigned to the Vernon Church.

Members of the local church were amazed that Vernon Methodists were given a new pastor this year, and their surprise has no relation to the merits of the new preacher. For three years now a new preacher has come each fall, and the leaders insist that it is impossible for a man to get hold of a congregation of nearly 900 members in one year.

Rev. Brooks To Shreveport.

Mr. and Mrs. Hayne had taken hold of the work, and it seemed that the local church was to have great growth. Presiding Elder W. P. Garvin felt sure when he went to Annual Conference that there would be no change in the church at Vernon. The official board of the church adopted a set of resolutions asking Mr. Hayne's return, and fully expected that he would be pastor of the local congregation another year.

Rev. Henry F. Brooks, pastor at Amarillo, was transferred and it is understood will be stationed at Shreveport, La. He went from Vernon to Amarillo two years ago.

Following is an official list of appointments for the Vernon District:

Vernon District—Presiding Elder, W. P. Garvin; Childress, M. Phelan; Childress, circuit, D. F. Offet; supply, Childress, L. N. Lipscomb; Crowell, W. M. Murrell; Crowell circuit to be supplied; Dumont circuit, E. D. Lambrecht; Estelline, W. B. Hicks; Kirkland and Goodlett, E. A. Thorp; Kings Memorial, E. L. Yeates; Marguerite Circuit, L. B. Hankins; Odell Circuit, A. O. Graden; Paducah, C. E. Ficht; Paducah Circuit, J. Fred Cooke; Quannah Station, A. W. Weddill; Quannah Circuit, T. H. Davis; supply, Tell Circuit, J. M. Conklin; Tolbert Circuit, R. V. Tooley; Vernon Station, C. A. Waterfield; Vernon Circuit, F. T. Johnson; Student S. M. U. J. W. McCrary, Jr.

Mrs. Edward P. Alexander of Quannah spent Saturday and Sunday with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. G. McDonald, in Vernon.

A. M. Works returned Saturday morning from Amarillo, where he attended the Northwest Texas Annual Conference of the Methodist Episcopal Church, South.

HERE ARE SOME HATS LATEST FROM PARIS



Paris is again setting the pace in the Fall headwear for milady. The creation on top is the newest style from Paris. It is made of purple velvet, fashioned after the Russian and trimmed with graduated colored grapes around the front. Below is a black velvet and jet beaded chapeau which bids fair to prove popular with the elite this Fall.

GENERAL DIAZ OF ITALY IS COMING TO AMERICA



General Diaz.

General Diaz, Commander-in-Chief of the Italian Army, will leave Naples shortly for New York, where he will preside at a convention of former Italian soldiers.

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Marion Harris
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STATE DEPARTMENT ISSUES RULES ON FREE TEXT BOOKS

Instructions Embody Points Over Which Much Controversy Has Arisen—Old Copies of Books Should Be Returned At Once For Credit—All Phases Of Subject Covered.

Instructions concerning free State text books have come to the office of L. A. Hollar, county superintendent of schools, and contain specifications and suggestions that are foreign to the minds of many school trustees and others interested in education. Considerable controversy has arisen from time to time over certain rules concerning free text books, and there has been a variance of opinion on these subjects.

One regulation in particular deals with the return of the old books to depositories. It specifies that all copies of languages and grammars used during the past two years, and American histories should be returned to the proper sources in order to receive credit. According to Mr. Hollar, it will only be necessary for trustees to furnish him with the numbers of these books, and it will not be necessary to supply the volumes themselves. By sending in the numbers the credit can be obtained.

Following are the most recent instructions on this phase of school work.

Instructions Concerning Books

1. All books for common school districts should be requisitioned from the county superintendent's depository, whether on original requisition or emergency orders.

2. The original requisitions of independent districts of 150 scholars or less may also be filled by the county superintendent, if the school desires it.

3. Emergency orders of all independent districts of 500 scholars or less should be sent to the county superintendent for filling.

4. All emergency orders must be signed by the president (chairman) of the school board. It is not required that they be made on the regular requisition forms.

Must Protect Books.

1. All books must be covered either by home-made covers of heavy paper, or by patent covers. If a pupil refuses to cover his books, they should be taken up until he is willing to comply with the rules.

2. It is advised that teachers make weekly or bi-monthly inspection of the books to see that they are being cared for properly.

3. Pupils should be required to learn the Good Citizenship Code, found in the pamphlet, "Rules and Directions for the Care of the Books."

4. Books that have been handled by children suffering from a serious contagious disease should be burned. In addition to such diseases as scarlet fever and diphtheria, itch should be added. Pupils suffering from any such disease should be at once excluded from school, until full recovery. This is required by the health laws of the State.

Rules For Selling

1. Pupils may purchase their books.

DEFEATS CECIL LEITCH IN GOLF CHAMPIONSHIP



Mrs. Frederick C. Letts, Jr.

Mrs. Frederick C. Letts, Jr., of the Owensia Club, Chicago, who sprung the surprise of the women's national golf championship tournament now being played at the Hollywood Country Club, Deal, N. J., by defeating Miss Cecil Leitch, British, French and Canadian champion, by 1 up in the second round of the tournament. Miss Leitch was picked by many to annex the American title.

if they desire, paying for new copies the retail price.

2. If pupils wish to buy used text books, a reduction of 20 per cent of the retail price for each year used may be allowed. This reduction is based on the assumption that the life of a book is five years. The books have not been used long enough to verify this basis.

Fines and Damaged Books.

1. Books that come to pieces because of poor binding should not be charged against the pupils, but this Department should be notified of the names of such texts, that we may hold the publishers to their contracts.

2. If a child is issued a book in good condition, and damages it to such an extent that it cannot be used again, he should be required to pay for the book, allowing a 20 per cent reduction for each year used. The book remains the property of the State. If this rule is strictly enforced, it will very soon teach the children respect for the State's property.

3. In case books are not too badly damaged for further use, but teachers feel that they are abused more than ordinary wear justifies, a small fine may be charged in proportion to the damage, for its wholesome effect upon the pupils in teaching them to care for their books.

4. Teachers are asked to use discretion in requiring pupils to pay for books. They should not be charged for those that the health officer requires destroyed because of contagious diseases in the home where they are used or for those burned in the loss of a home by fire, or for those lost in other non-preventable accidents.

Must Keep Careful Tab.

1. The law requires that money accruing from sales of texts, or from any other source, be sent in monthly to the Text Book Fund. A report on the number and kinds of books sold must accompany the money-order, made on our Form I and sworn to before a notary. This form does not include a list of the supplementary readers, as it was not anticipated that many of these would be sold.

2. The remittances and reports on Form I of both independent and common school districts should be made direct to this department. Copies of all reports should be kept on file by the schools, for they must be included in the annual report.

3. Each school must make an annual report on Form VI at the end of each session. Until this report has been made and a copy or it filed with the school board, the last month's salary vouchers should not be approved. One copy of the report of all independent districts should be sent to this office, and one copy of the common school districts and of those independent districts under the jurisdiction of the county superintendent, should be sent to the county superintendent.

4. Each school should preserve carefully all invoices, or receipts for books transferred to or from the school, as this information also must be given on

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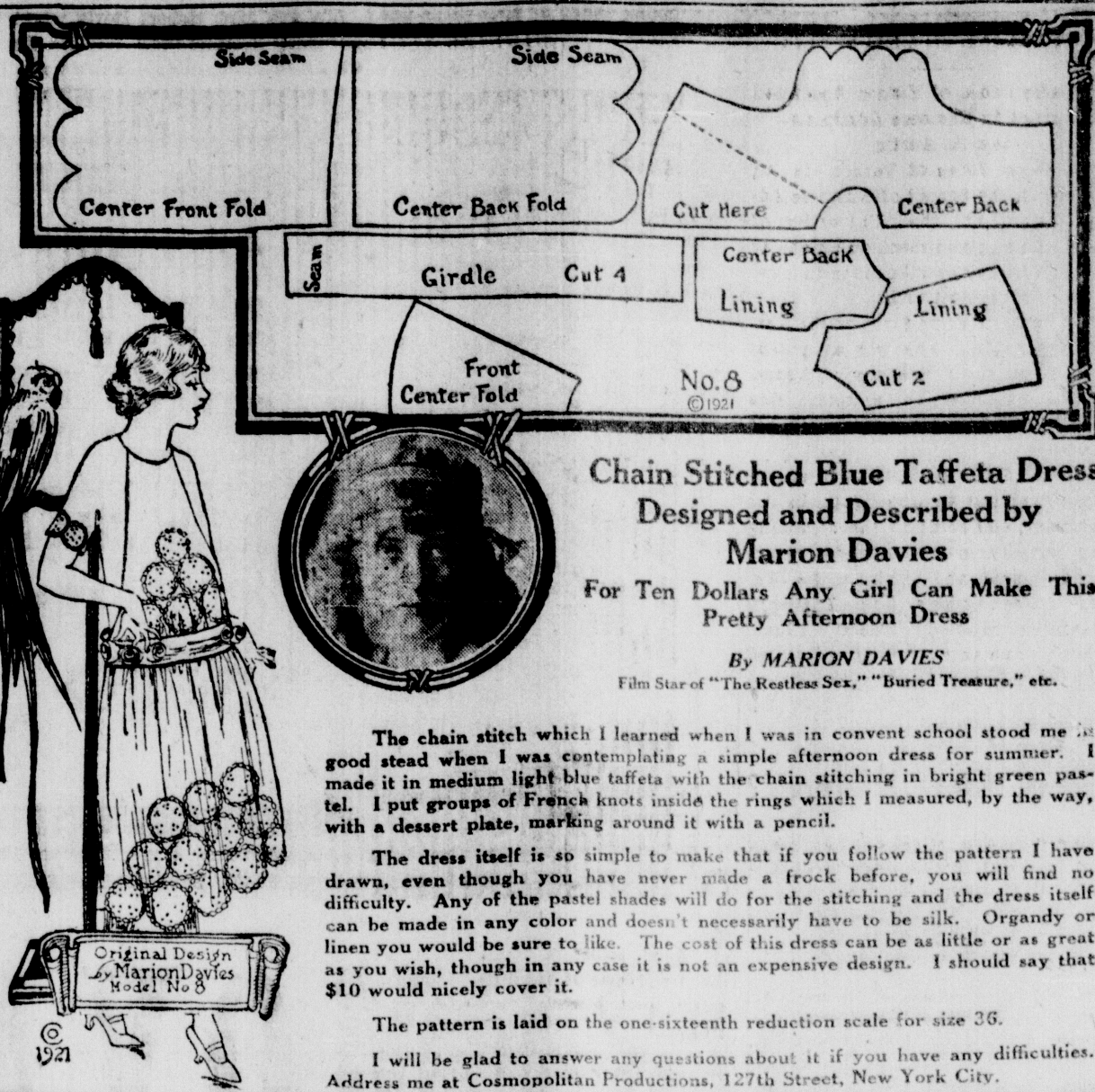
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For Ten Dollars Any Girl Can Make This
Pretty Afternoon Dress

By MARION DAVIES

Film Star of "The Restless Sex," "Buried Treasure," etc.

The chain stitch which I learned when I was in convent school stood me in good stead when I was contemplating a simple afternoon dress for summer. I made it in medium light blue taffeta with the chain stitching in bright green pastel. I put groups of French knots inside the rings which I measured, by the way, with a dessert plate, marking around it with a pencil.

The dress itself is so simple to make that if you follow the pattern I have drawn, even though you have never made a frock before, you will find no difficulty. Any of the pastel shades will do for the stitching and the dress itself can be made in any color and doesn't necessarily have to be silk. Organdy or linen you would be sure to like. The cost of this dress can be as little or as great as you wish, though in any case it is not an expensive design. I should say that \$10 would nicely cover it.

The pattern is laid on the one-sixteenth reduction scale for size 36.

I will be glad to answer any questions about it if you have any difficulties. Address me at Cosmopolitan Productions, 127th Street, New York City.

the annual report.

Can Buy No More.

1. No more books can be purchased from pupils, as the time limit under which these could be purchased expired on September 1st, 1921. The law makes no provision for the State's buying back from pupils books of the present adoption that they have bought.

VII. Return of Old Books to Depositories.

1. All copies of the languages and

grammars used the past two years

should be returned at once, to Ginn & Co., Dallas, Texas, with a list of the books and the name, district number and county of the school. All copies of Cousins and Hill's American History should be returned to Southern School Book Depository, Dallas, Texas. A list of both should be sent to this office on Form III. Every book returned means that much saved for the avail-

able School Fund.

2. No other texts should be returned to the depositories without first writing to this office. No texts should ever be sent to this office, as we do not keep a supply of books, and it is extra expense to send them on to Dallas, or to return them to the schools.

Miss Lucile Marr of Fargo was in Vernon Saturday to sign a contract to teach this year.



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CONSIDER all the forethought and skill that is put into our Suits. They follow the styling of the season but, there is always that adroit treatment that gives them an air of their own. Try our Suits once and you'll demand them always.

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New Caps for Boys \$1 and \$1.50

And they answer the boys' every requirement. Never have we shown better caps for the money. Plenty of sizes this week.



Your Winter Underwear Is Here

Not just Underwear, but well made, warm garments that are a pleasure to wear. In all the different weights in cotton and wool. \$1.50 suit and up to—

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This Week Is a Good Time to Buy Your Stetson

While assortments are their best and you can get your size in the style and color you want. Stetsons at \$7 and up to \$15. Other good hats at—

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ASSOCIATED STORES

JAPAN'S DELEGATES TO ARMS PARLEY



According to dispatches from Tokyo, the Japanese delegates to the Washington Conference on Limitation of Armaments and Problems of the Pacific have been officially announced as follows: Prince Iyesaro Tokugawa, President of the House of Peers; Vice-Admiral Tomosaburo Kato, Minister of the Navy; and Baron Kijuro Shidehara, Ambassador to the United States. The secretaries to the chief delegates will be Masanao Hanjima, Vice Foreign Minister; Tsumao Matsubara, chief of the American and European section of the Foreign Office; Dr. K. Hayashi and Toru Takao, counsellors of the Foreign Office.

PERHAPS HE HAD BETTER TAKE HIS IDEA TO THE FAIR.

Morgan Lindsey, mechanic at Napier Bros. Motor Co., has developed an entirely new method of unclenching the human figure in the space of a few seconds, provided that same figure will abide rigidly by all the rules and regulations Mr. Lindsey specifies. The aforementioned young man has personally tested out the efficacy of his idea and discovered that while the effect on the clothes is not particularly edifying, there is no doubt that the result finds the wearer stripped of all garments in the traditional Adam mode.

The innovation came to light Saturday morning while Lindsey was laboring over a particularly refractory bit of a Ford secured in a somewhat elaborate piece of power machinery in the garage. One feature of this mechanism is a revolving piece of metal that does any one of a hundred things one is charged for every time he trusts his flivver to the mercies of the modern jitney specialist.

Loses His Foothold.

Footling on an oily tread was too precarious, and Lindsey suddenly slipped until he fell almost upon the whirling mechanism. He managed, however, to brace himself with his hands as the revolving points caught his clothing, and thus saved himself from what would undoubtedly have proved serious injury. Robbed of its human prey, the machinery snatched eagerly at the overalls and underclothing in its grasp, and when the switch was pulled by a fellow mechanic, Lindsey was a human reproduction of Mr. September Morn.

His costume, although decollete, hardly revealed that of the shivering one in the limpid depths, however, for

he retained triumphant possession of shoes and socks, a round skull cap, and a "three fer" between his teeth. No one in the wildest moment of imagination could discern, September Morn with even a gold tipped cigarette to match the stogie Lindsey stayed with during the happenings.

May Be Used a La Arbuckle.

Shredded wheat has never had anything on the appearance of the mechanic's clothing. It occupies a corner of honor in the office at this time, but when human interest has ceased the underclothing, at least, may follow the example of yet more famous predecessors that have gone to shine the public's automobiles.

It's rather sudden, this method, Lindsey opines, and embodies a variety of thrills that the more prosaic methods of unclenching lack, but who wants to do the same old things in the same old way forever?

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FOR SALE—REAL ESTATE

TO TRADE—For Plains Land 640 acres Shamrock, all tillable but 40 acres, 200 acres good sandy land ten miles northeast of Shamrock, 3 room house, cedar, crib, shed, orchard; fine for hog ranch. \$30 an acre; \$10,000 equity, balance easy. Also 60 acres nine miles northeast of Vernon. Red sandy land, 20 acres in cultivation, 6 room bungalow, crib, sheds, well, and chicken. \$7,000 clear. Would trade with the 640 acres near Shamrock. W. J. Dunklin, Vernon, Texas. 75-4p.

OWN A SUBURBAN HOME—am cutting up my farm, and will sell in blocks of 5 acres and upwards, to suit the purchaser. The land is situated on the Main Highway west of Vernon, just 2 miles from the Courthouse. Roadways will be provided, giving convenient outlet to all tracts. This land is A-1 for alfalfa, fruits and vegetables, as well as general farm crops. Attractive terms. J. W. Seals, Owner. 75-8p

THE OPPORTUNITY OF A LIFE—We want 100 real farmers to buy and actually settle on 100 farms of the Spearman Farm Lands at Seagraves, Gaines Co., Tex. To such men extra inducements are offered both as to price and terms. The best place on earth for a poor man, or a man of moderate means, to secure a home for himself and family. A postal card to W. A. Sollette, general agent, Ave. K, Clarendon, Texas or to W. H. Steele local agent, room K, Santa Fe Bldg., El Paso, Texas, will bring you a descriptive pamphlet giving full information concerning this country and plan of purchase. 61 or Fri-

FOR SALE—I have 200 acres of the finest of land near Oklahoma; all or a part for sale. No waste at all in sand land. T. C. Clement has 100 acres for sale which joins mine. Any one wanting to buy write us at Plymouth, Texas, J. C. Clement. 75-8t

FOR SALE—Fine residences at a bargain. See us. T. P. Lisman & Son. 57-4c

FOR SALE—MISCELLANEOUS

FOR SALE—A splendid young milk cow. Now giving milk, and will come fresh again in December. A. R. Taylor, Phone 445 or 460. 77-4p

FOR SALE—Two red shots at once. Call Linton Sullivan at 792 J. 77-4c

FOR SALE—Pure Angora Goats, Buck and 4 nannies. See W. M. McCaleb. Phone 211 78-2p.

TO TRADE—Mitchell Six as part payment for house and lot. Will also trade for lighter car. Ford Coupe preferred. A. C. McConnell at Star Cash Grocery, 621 East Paradise st. 77-4c

FOR SALE—Maxwell, five passenger touring car. Good running. \$1000 or will trade for good milk cow. W. O. Smith, phone 504. 78-2p

FOR SALE—A base burner at a bargain. must be seen to be appreciated. 128 South Wheeler. 77-4p

FOR SALE—Two teams, cow and calf, tools and crops. If interested see H. E. Whiteside, Tolbert, Texas, Route 2. Two miles north of bridge. 77-5t

FOR SALE—Deering Corn Harvester for \$45.00 in good condition, Roger Ranch, 3 miles north west of Vernon. M. W. Roger Tolbert, Texas. 76-1-

FOR SALE OR TRADE—Case car in good condition. New tires. Walter Telford at Perkins Timberlake. 75-6p

WANTED

BOARDS WANTED—Meals \$7 per week. Two blocks from Square. Also bed rooms to rent. Phone 241. 77-3p

WANTED—Garage doing good business, in Vernon or neighboring town. Box 388, Ver- 78-3p

WANTED—Good second hand Ford Roadster in first class mechanical condition. H. M. Gordon, Peoples Bakery. 78-3c

WANTED—Room and board in congenial family, close in young man, box 967 city H. 76-4 p.

WANTED—To rent farm of 150 or 200 acres. Force to gather a bale a day. Good references. Address Jim Nix, Route 4, or call at Oddfellow Hall any Monday night. 76-4 p.

Lost, Strayed or Stolen

LOST—Black Shepherd dog, one year old. Clipped hair. Leave information at Lee-ord office or Gray's Hotel. Liberal reward. 76-3 tp.

LOST—A suitcase, between Harrold and Vernon, Sunday evening. Finder please notify Commerce Hotel at Harrold. 76-3p.

POULTRY AND PET STOCK

Let The Record's classified advertising find a buyer for your chickens, hogs, your eggs or meat. 1 1/2¢ a word first insertion. 1¢ a word thereafter.

FIGHT BLUE BUGS—And all Blood Sucking insects simply by feeding "Martin's Blue Bug Remedy" to your chickens. Your money back if not satisfied. Ask B. & W. Drug Co. 62-20c

FOR RENT

FOR RENT—2 rooms for light housekeeping, close in, apply to Mrs. Hutchinson, Louise's Exchange, Phone 981, residence phone 635. 77-4c

FOR RENT—Four furnished rooms and bath, 416 E. Wilbarger, W. O. Smith, phone 704. 78-2p

FOR RENT—One 7-room house on W. Wilbarger street. Phone 325. 77-4c

FOR RENT—Two rooms nicely furnished for light housekeeping. Very convenient. Mrs. J. S. Houston, 604 E. Wilbarger St. 78-2t

FOR RENT—Nicely furnished S. E. bed room large clothes closet, private entrance. Close in, call 372 or see Mrs. J. R. Jones, corner of Marshall and Lexington Sts. 78-2c

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Mrs. Parr Seriously Ill.

Mrs. P. E. Parr, who is seriously ill, is in practically the same condition as during the last few days. She is confined to the home of R. V. Parr.

W. S. Haynes Marries.

W. S. Haynes of Vernon and Miss Ivy Dodson of Weatherford were married Sunday at Fort Worth. Mr. Haynes is associated with the T. M. Ferguson Drug Company and has lived here about a month. He and his bride will make their home here.

W. B. Abbott and A. C. Smith were in Chillicothe Monday night.

Hattie Rogers
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Dr. E. B. Jones Res. Phone 498

Elder J. T. Cabe of Electra was in Vernon yesterday. Mr. Cabe formerly lived here, and has many friends in Vernon.

W. N. Stokes is in Houston on matters connected with the Federal Land Bank. Mr. Stokes is secretary of the Wilbarger Farm Loan Association.

Farm Loans

SEE S. M. Fentress and R. W. (Bob) Walker, Room 205 Waggoner Natl. Bank building. 75-Sa.

P. M. McKinley is expected home tomorrow from Dallas.

Mr. and Mrs. A. H. Murchison expect to leave tomorrow for Terrell and Farmersville, Texas, and Modill, Oklahoma.

Mrs. Pauline Morris, who is in Rochester, Minn., for her health, will be obliged to remain there a month, her physicians state. Mrs. Morris is undergoing treatment at the Mayo brothers sanitarium.

Mrs. S. W. Bailey left for Dallas where she will attend the Fair and visit relatives for a week.

T. G. Knight, past commander of Worth Commandery 19 at Fort Worth, has been in Vernon inspecting the local commandery.

Albert D. Sheppard left Saturday night for Fort Worth where he was called by the illness of a relative.

Mr. and Mrs. C. A. Richie returned from Dallas where Mr. Richie has been undergoing treatment on his eye.

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Wish you boys would loosen up a little—Old Mc. 76-4c

John Storey and Shirley Cook drove to Wichita Falls on business Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. L. G. Hawkins left this morning for Long Beach, Calif., where they were called by the serious illness of Mrs. Hawkins' father, Robert Houssels.

Holcomb Training School, Vernon, Texas—Business Course, Literary Course. The great combination wins. Best courses ever offered. Write for information. 75-8tp

For the Young Business Man

Some day the young business man will be a big business man.

Right now, perhaps, there isn't any money profit in carrying his checking account. But some day, as that account grows, and as the owner grows with it, the bank will be repaid for having counseled the young man and co-operated with him in his business success.

So, this bank invites the young business man who wishes to grow. We have seen many a small account grow into a large one and have earned the thanks for helpful service cheerfully rendered at all times.

We want your account. But, what is more, we want you as a growing business man to associate yourself with this bank.

FARMERS STATE BANK

Things For The Table

Every family whose groceries come from this store will have ample reason to be satisfied, for each item will be of the finest quality possible to procure.

Make up your list now, and take advantage of our fast delivery service.

Remember—Twice-A-Week, on Tuesdays and Fridays, we have—
FRESH VEGETABLES

Puckett Brothers Grocery

Phones 255-256

What Will You Give For Christmas This Year?

Sort of puzzling, isn't it? And yet Christmas is less than 90 shopping days off.

Sure, you can't afford to neglect or forget friends this year any more than other years, but you may want to remember them at less expense.

Christmas Cards Offer the Solution

Thoughtful friends appreciate this form of Christmas remembrance. You can thus remember a number of friends for what it would cost you to give a present to one.

We Are Showing Four of the Richest Lines in America

offering the widest possible selections in prices, designs and sentiment Cards for printing and cards for engraving—with envelopes—and at **Lowered prices.**

We urge an early selection to get **JUST WHAT YOU WANT.**

The Vernon Record

'Phone 171.

COTTON TAKES SHARP DECLINE

(Continued from Page 1)

relatively smaller compared with gin returns of previous seasons, probably figuring less than last year to October 18, when 5,755,000 bales were accounted for, whereas to September 25, ginnings this year were 2,908,000 vs. 2,250,000 last year.

Indications are that by November 1, all but the remnant of this year's production will likely have passed through the gins, some gins in localities not having faced a belt because of the crop failure. The October 3 government report estimated this year's crop at only 6,537,000 bales, whereas to November last year there was ginned 7,500,000 bales, or nearly 1,000,000 bales more than this year's crop promises to be.

After November 1 last year ginnings amounted to 5,762,000 bales, whereas after November 1 this year, ginnings will likely be nil. In other words there was within less than 1,000,000 bales as much cotton ginned after November 1 last year as this year's crop promises to be. Could the prospective situation be more bullish?

Yield May Surprise.

A. Norden and Co. of New York make the following comment on the situation of last week:

"The two government reports of Monday are followed by a sharp selling movement, partly hedging of spots, partly voluntary or forced liquidation of long commitments, and partly short sales, and since then the market has been nervous and erratic, with the declines apparently having stronger backing than the advances, probably owing to increasing pressure of spot cotton, with the marketing process in full swing. It is becoming more apparent every day that holders are in general willing to sell around the present level, though doubtless they would withdraw on severe breaks.

With no further condition to be issued, the official indication of the crop, until the final estimate of the Agricultural Bureau in December, is 6,537,000 bales, but many find it difficult to reconcile such a theoretical indication with the actual fact that 2,907,950 of those bales had already been ginned up to Saturday, September 24th; the skepticism aroused by those ginning figures has undoubtedly neutralized to a great extent the effect of the bullish condition figure and crop indication, especially as last year the Bureau indication was 1,300,000 bales below the actual output.

The argument is, of course, that this crop is more nearly picked and ginned than any previous crop, and from all reports this assertion seems to be warranted; it loses some of its force, however, from having been brought out with the same emphasis year after year since the periodical reports of the Census Bureau began to be of interest."

RAIL WAY TIME TABLE.

—Denver Northbound—

No. 7 (through)..... 5:20 a. m.
No. 2..... 3:15 p. m.
No. 1 (through)..... 3:59 p. m.

—Denver Southbound—

No. 8 (through)..... 12:55 a. m.
No. 2 (through)..... 1:09 p. m.
No. 4..... 10:45 a. m.

—Frisco Outbound—

Train 622 for Clinton..... 8:09 a. m.
Train 618 for Okla. City..... 8:30 p. m.

—Frisco Inbound—

Train 621 from Clinton..... 8:00 p. m.
Train 617 from Okla. City..... 6:45 a. m.

Burning Ford Causes Alarm.

A Ford touring car belonging to C. A. Lawhorn occasioned calling out the fire department about 4 p. m. Monday when faulty electrical wiring caused flames to burst forth. The blaze was extinguished with little damage to the car.

Donors and Medical Students.
FOR SALE—The surgical instruments, medical books and medicines of the late Dr. McBride all or part. Bargain, see

W. H. McBRIDE,
248 S. Deaf Smith St.

Revival at Oklaunion.
Rev. B. A. Beutley of Abilene will commence a revival meeting Saturday night, October 15, at the Oklaunion Church of Christ. A special invitation has been extended for everyone to come.

Farm Loans.
SEE S. M. Fentress and R. W. (Bob) Walker, Room 205 Wagoner Natl Bank building. 75-87c

Miss Nellie Allingham went Saturday to La Platte, Mo., where she will visit relatives.

Buy a winter mattress when you can get a long list mattress at Price's Mattress Factory for \$8.42c Deaf Smith street. 73-c

EVACUATION OF NICOMEDIA BY THE GREEK RESIDENTS



War is still raging in Asia Minor between the Greeks and Turks under Kemal. The above illustration shows Greek soldiers resting along the river bank at Chisilavan. Fearing the wrath of the Turks, the Greek population of Nicomedia has evacuated the city. The photograph below shows Greek ships lying in the harbor of the Gulf of Ismid. It is the capital of Bithynia and about fifty-six miles from Constantinople.

IN SOCIETY

DELPHIAN CLUB MEETS WITH MRS. E. RHOADS

The Delphian Club held its third meeting of the year at the home of Mrs. Emory Rhoads last Wednesday. Mrs. W. N. Stokes was leader of the lesson, the subject of which was "The Classical School of Music," with especial attention given to Mozart and Beethoven. Refreshments were served during the social hour at the close of the literary discussion. Twenty-five of the thirty-four members were present at the meeting last week.

The club roll, revised for the year 1921-22, is as follows: Mesdames W. W. Bennett, Frank Byrd, W. D. Berry, O. A. Brunson, Y. H. Babastin, H. O. Colley, M. C. Culbertson, R. B. Gibson, G. Kemp, F. M. Kemp, Roy Martin, Emory Rhoads, W. N. Stokes, Clint Swartwood, R. E. Townsend, Arthur Vernon, B. A. Williams, J. W. Wheatley, W. R. Moore, M. J. Moore, J. E. Morrow, E. L. Pendleton, Howard Timberlake, R. D. L. Killough, Joe Parker, W. A. Wilhelm and H. B. Wilhelm; and Misses Cleo Bowers, Minnie King Ethel Haney, Esther Swartwood, Harriet Thomas, Erma Rhoads and Alma Coleman. The club meets on the second and third Wednesdays of each month.

John Storey went to Wichita Falls Saturday on business.

L. H. Squires went to Dallas Saturday night.

Chandler Carraway spent the weekend with relatives here.

THIS POWDER BOX IS WORN LIKE WRIST WATCH



It's worn like a watch and looks like a timepiece. It wasn't a wrist watch that gleamed golden on the slender white arm extended to the strap in the subway car. Passengers noticed and wondered why the octagonal gold case on the neat strap had neither dial nor hands visible. Perhaps it was something new in "hunting case" wrist watches. Or perhaps something new in lockets. It was neither. Some of the passengers who watched the passenger as she left the train at a busy station saw her open the gold lid of the wrist ornament and extract therefrom a powder-puff, which she applied to her nose, carefully watching the operation in a small mirror under the lid of the box.

GIVEN SILVER CHEST BY CLEVELAND BALL FANS



Peckinpough presented with silver chest.

Peckinpough's father presenting the Yankee shortstop with a silver chest sent him by Cleveland fans. The presentation was made just before the second game of the world series got under way.

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SUPERB STREET PARADE

DAILY 2:00 P. M. 7:00 P. M. RAIN OR SHINE WATERPROOF TENT

Marriage Licenses Issued.

Marriage licenses were issued October 6 to Henry Janca and Miss Martha Hempel, October 6 to R. S. Hicks and Miss Mildred Reardon, October 6 to Jesse A. BPP and Miss Ethel Groer of Electra, October 7 to J. T. Stephens of Burkholder and Miss Lena Vard Lucky of Fort Worth, October 8 to W. S. Haynes of Vernon and Miss Iva Dodson of Weatherford, October 8 to W. R. Fore and Miss Viola Hicks, October 9 to L. G. Withers and Miss Lena McCroskey, October 10 to G. H. Coker of Rochester and Mrs. M. E. Groer of Electra, October 10 to H. T. Hildebrandt and Miss Mary Lowke, October 10 to M. T. Bickley and Miss Myrtle Parks of Electra.

Court Assesses Penalty For Theft.

E. C. Fore plead guilty Saturday afternoon in the county court to a charge of theft and was fined \$10 and costs and sentenced to twenty days on the road.

Record classified ads bring results.



Important Change In Time of Trains

A Change in Schedule of Certain Frisco Trains Will Be Made Effective

Sunday, Oct. 16, 1921

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Winter Is Coming

Now is the most logical time of all to start those new buildings you are going to have for winter. If you have no new buildings in mind, you are bound to have more or less repair work to be done on some of your old buildings.

Building Material

is worth studying. You want value received for the money that you put into any building, be it a chicken house or a fine residence. We carry a complete stock of Building Material and take just as much pleasure, give the same excellent courtesy, service and building helps when we are figuring on a chicken house as we do the residence.

See our prices on Builder's Hardware, paint, oils, varnishes, or anything else that goes into, on, or around a building.

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FARM BUREAU TO MAKE \$40 INITIAL ADVANCE ON COTTON

Ruling Advances \$15 over Former Arrangement—Announcement Gratifying To Farmers and Merchants Alike—Will Also Class Crop Locally—Bureau Agent To Assist.

Farm bureau members in Wilbarger county will receive \$40 a bale advance on their cotton in place of \$25, according to a telegram received Friday by the county agent. The new ruling is one which is most gratifying to farmers and townspeople, as it furnishes the grower with more funds when it needs them most, right at the start.

As soon as the cotton is sent to Dallas and a middling basis grade determined for it, \$10 more will be forthcoming as an advance. Under the former system after the \$25 advance was made, the second amount was also \$25.

Bankers Well Pleased.

Local bankers also expressed themselves as well pleased, according to the county agent. The new ruling permits cotton growers to receive the most consequential sum when it can be used to the best advantage in meeting debts, and making long deferred purchases.

Arrangements have been made here for a local classing of cotton when it is brought in. Bill Bowman, who has been receiving cotton for the bureau at the warehouses, will now also grade it. This is for the purpose of making the initial advance to farmers.

Bureau Agent Coming.

A farm bureau agent is expected in Vernon Friday morning to work out permanent details concerning the \$40 advance to growers. He will stay here until the situation is entirely cleared up.

RICHARDS FAVORS BOND ISSUE.

Fargo Resident Believes Project Offers Fairest Settlement Of Every-one's Interest.

T. H. Richards of Fargo favors the proposed bond issue for Wilbarger county because he is of the opinion that it provides the most equitable means of solving the good roads problem.

"Paving one highway won't help so many folks," Mr. Richardson says, "and I know it will not be of much use to me. Where we have paved roads stretching in every direction, and some money spent on the dirt roads so we can get to the pavement, it is going to benefit a world more people than the other way."

Thinks Majority Favor Issue.

Eighty per cent of those tax payers in the northeastern portion of the county and in the neighborhoods of Fargo, Tolbert, and in the territory between Oklahoma and Vernon favor the road bond issue, in the estimation of William Blackwood, who is working as one of the good roads committee. Sentiment generally is considerably stronger than is estimated, Mr. Blackwood thinks.

Seniors Win At Football.

High school seniors trounced juniors in a football game 28 to 0 Friday afternoon at the fairgrounds in a one-sided contest. A majority of senior players were members of the school's first team, and were able to gain practically at will through their opponents. Small Bramblett and Coltzter starred in the backfield for the victors.

Says Country Needs Rain.

"I'd like to see some rain mighty well," ventured a farmer living southwest of town in discussing crop conditions. "I'm about through with wheat drilling and the ground needs moisture badly. The way it is now a person scarcely knows what to do. It is too late to prepare the ground over and all there is to do is to wait. Rain last Friday barely touched us. I believe the heaviest part must have been toward the east."

Schools File For State Aid.

About twenty-six county schools have applications for state aid on file, according to L. A. Hollar, superintendent. Mr. Hollar hopes to have most of those remaining unfilled in by the middle of the week.

PRETTIEST BABY BLONDES IN ENGLAND



A photographic study of the two pretty daughters of Candler Cobb, who has been appointed American Commercial Attache in London. The children, both blondes, have been described as the most beautiful blonde children in England. Mr. Cobb has studied and practiced law in New York City and was Assistant United States Attorney in New York during the war, specializing on restrictions of foreign trade and fraudulent passports. He is a graduate of Harvard University and also attended Oxford University.

COTTON TAKES SHARP DECLINE

LOCAL MARKET SHOWS DROP OF FIFTEEN POINTS AT OPENING

Cotton quotations took a sharp decline yesterday and the spot price paid on the street here was in the neighborhood of nineteen cents a pound. The market Saturday took a slight rise toward closing, but on the whole was about the same as that of the previous three or four days.

Today's opening showed Liverpool down about fifty American points which was considerably in excess of what had been anticipated. Cotton for December was down eleven points at first call, and nine at the second. January quotations were down seventeen points. The local market was down about fifteen points over yesterday. All markets showed a sharp decline yesterday. Seed in Vernon today is \$30 a ton.

Spinners Influence Market.

A communication to E. P. Hicks from H. and B. Beer Co., a well-established cotton buying firm, gives interesting data on the outlook. Following is in part the substance of the letter:

"In an effort to influence markets to a lower level, spinners refrained from buying of spots to any extent in the South during the past week, resulting in smaller sales, capital of which was made to depress values. The reason sales were smaller was that the interior refused to sell freely at the decline, as advices from the country are to effect that the demand was in excess of offerings, the interior standing 'pat' in its determination to obtain a fair price for this year's very small yield.

Until of late there was a ravenous demand for the staple, which will be reflected soon in exporters' and spinners' takings assuming larger proportions in the future, and they are running well ahead of last season and season before last already. Weekly take reviews report steady progress being made in the recovery of business to a normal plane, and the more seasonable weather prevailing, the country having been visited with the season's first touch of winter, will help trade all the more, especially in textiles, which are ruling firm and in good request, with the tendency to higher price levels still.

Ginnings May Decrease.

Ginnings in the future will likely be

ATTORNEY-GENERAL TO HEAR WITNESSES

C. M. CURETON ARRIVES FOR INVESTIGATION OF RED RIVER DISPUTE.

C. M. Cureton, State attorney-general, was expected in Vernon at 2 o'clock this afternoon to begin his work here in connection with the Red river boundary dispute between Texas and Oklahoma. This afternoon, according to a message given over the long distance phone, he expected to go to Doans settlement and territory north of Vernon for the purpose of making investigations.

A hearing of witnesses will be conducted at the court house beginning at 9 o'clock tomorrow morning. All those wanted for this purpose have been notified to appear.

Strenuous efforts are being made at this time to collect all possible evidence to be used in the suit. Much of this work is being done by Mr. Cureton personally.

CHRISTIAN CHURCH MEETINGS CONDUCTED TWICE DAILY

Services are being conducted twice daily at the Central Christian Church under the leadership of Rev. Charles Chastain. They are being held at 10 a. m. and 7:30 p. m., and commenced Sunday. Rev. Gus Ramage, local pastor, is leading the singing. Attendance thus far has been very good. The meeting is expected to last about two weeks.

Last night the visiting minister preached on the "Feeding of the Five Thousand." His sermons this morning and yesterday morning dealt with the "Sermon on the Mount."

Hill Crest Members Enjoy Dance.

Hill Crest Club members enjoyed an informal dance Saturday night. A cheery fire for the first time in the dining room grate added to the pleasantness of the occasion. Local music was furnished.

Arrest Man Wanted In Wichita.

John Simmons, wanted by police of Wichita Falls, was taken last night by the sheriff's force. He is being held pending the arrival of Wichita officers.

To Have Dance Thursday

The Entertainment Committee of Hill Crest Country Club announces a dance for Thursday night, at 8:30 o'clock.

ELLIOTT WANTS PAVEMENT FROM LINE TO LINE

Sentiment At Meeting Last Night Thought to Indicate Stand Of East Part of County—Would Not Object To 'Mile Or Two In Other Directions'—Other Parts of County Favor.

Sentiment at Elliott was found strongly opposed to the proposed \$600,000 road bond issue for Wilbarger county by a committee of four advocates who last night conducted a meeting over the Frank Steinman store. About fifty persons were present, and Dr. J. C. King of Harrold presided. Those on the committee were County Judge E. L. McHugh, Commissioner A. M. Bourland, Lou Byars, and Cy Long.

Details of the proposed issue were carefully explained by Judge McHugh but the proposition was without favor from the Elliott voters. When asked concerning their wishes for a bond issue, it was pointed out that the most acceptable proposition to the community would be a paved highway stretching from the eastern county line to the western. In the event that those in the northern and southern parts of the county felt they were not receiving sufficient benefit from such a project, those at the meeting stated, there would be no objection to providing them with a mile or two of pavement in their respective directions.

Believes Stand Will Aid.

In commenting upon this view of the proposition, one member of the committee stated that such a stand would clearly sway those in the other parts of the county who are opposed to the present proposed issue to the opposite side when they realize that one section of Wilbarger is advocating the construction of thirty miles of pavement for its benefit, and only one or two for those who will not enjoy the use of the main highway. Furthermore, under the Elliott plan, the project would cost at least twice as much with an attendant less benefit to the majority of taxpayers.

Sentiment at Elliott appeared unfavorable to any considerable expenditure of money on the dirt roads of the county, one of the committee stated.

W. B. Covert, who owns considerable land in Wilbarger county, is heartily in favor of the issue. In talking over the proposition with members of the good roads committee he indicated that he would be glad to ask his tenants to vote for the project.

T. F. Davis of Rayland, thinks sentiment in his part of the county unanimous in favor of the bond issue. Mr. Davis has been doing farm bureau evangelistic work in his community as well as over this section, and has been in a position to thoroughly test public opinion.

Glad To Assist.

Andy Dicus of Tolbert gladly acceded to the request that he circulate a list in his community for good roads converts to sign. Mr. Dicus reported yesterday that thus far he has found only two opponents of the issue in the town where he lives.

"I was formerly against all bond issues," said Mr. Dicus in commenting on the proposed Wilbarger project, "but I am heart and soul in favor of this one."

"I recently returned from a visit with my brother in Grayson county where the section is noted for good roads. Those who have never enjoyed travel over stretches like those cannot realize their real benefit. Why, I didn't have to hit the ground once and went all over the county."

Brother Converted.

"When the issue first came up down there, my brother was against it. Since the roads have been completed, he has been a staunch advocate of well-kept highways, and says if there is anyone in his county who does not have a good road, he is willing to vote more bonds to provide them with the same."

"The only trouble that I meet with up here is that everyone I run across is out on the same mission I am,—getting folks to sign up."

In commenting upon the sentiment at Tolbert, a member of the good roads committee made the statement that if every community supported the good roads project for Wilbarger in the same manner, there would exist no doubt but that the issue would carry overwhelmingly.

Lockett Favors Project.

J. E. Lockett of Lockett says his com-

SOUTHERN BEAUTY CHOSEN SPONSOR



Miss Elizabeth Atkins.

Miss Elizabeth Atkins, of Chattanooga, Tennessee, is one of the Southern beauties who will grace the reunion of the United Confederate Veterans to be held at Chattanooga from October 2 to 27. Miss Atkins is sponsor for the Chattanooga Corps, Forrest's Cavalary.

MISS MCCROSKEY WEDS L. G. WITHERS

WEDDING OCCURS AT BRIDE'S HOME LAST SUNDAY AFTERNOON.

Miss Lena McCroskey, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. D. D. McCroskey of this city, was married at 2:30 Sunday afternoon at the bride's home to L. G. Withers. Only immediate relatives of Miss McCroskey were present. Rev. W. T. Rouse performed the ceremony.

The bride was born near Chillicothe and has lived in Vernon fourteen years, receiving the majority of her education here. She graduated from the local high school in 1920. Of late she has been employed in the office of the district clerk. Mr. and Mrs. Withers are well-known here and have many friends locally.

Withers Here Many Years.

Mr. Withers has lived here many years, and until recently was employed at the Conger Sheet Metal Co. Within the last week he has opened a fish and oyster market on North Cumberland street. The young couple will make their home on East Wilbarger street.

Community is for the bond issue. Sentiment is favorable, he said, not because Lockett will get any of the pavement, but citizens there have seen the work county commissioners have accomplished with a limited amount of money and machinery. Those in the Lockett community are desirous of seeing all roads fixed as some have been, Mr. Lockett said, and sentiment favors furnishing commissioners with money to keep the roads in shape after they have been constructed.

I. G. Luttrell of Harrold, county commissioner, is of the opinion that sentiment in his community is not as unfavorable as is generally imagined. Sanction of the project, he says, is gradually asserting itself, and there will probably be heavy support when election time arrives.

Is Daughter of Earnest Hempel.

It was erroneously stated in Friday's Record that Miss Martha Hempel, who was married to Henry Janca here last Thursday morning, is the daughter of Earnest Hempel who lives about ten miles southwest of Vernon on the Streit farm.

Dance Honoring Peyton Phillips.

An informal dance will be held this evening at the home of Miss Beulah Ladd on East Wilbarger street in honor of Peyton Phillips, who, with his family, will move to Tampa, Florida the end of the week.

PROHIBITION CODE CLAMPS TIGHT LID

STATE LAW DELIVERS SOLAR FLEXUS TO ALL HOME BREW EXPERTS

Texas's new prohibition code occupies nearly two columns in a recent issue of "The Texas White Ribbon," a W. C. T. U. publication of the State, and the measure is set forth in detail for the enlightenment of readers. According to a comment by the editor, the law is not perfect but far surpasses the one formerly in existence.

Following is in brief the text of the new measure:

"It shall be unlawful for any person, directly or indirectly, to manufacture, sell, barter, exchange, transport, export, deliver, solicit, take orders for, or furnish spirituous, vinous, or malt liquors, or medicated bitters capable of producing intoxication, or any other intoxicants whatever, or any equipment for making any such liquors, or to possess, or receive for the purpose of sale any such liquors here prohibited."

Are Lawful With Permit.

It shall be unlawful for any persons directly or indirectly to manufacture, sell, barter, exchange, transport, export, deliver, solicit orders for, or furnish any spirituous, vinous or malt liquors, or medicated bitters, or any potable liquor, mixture or preparation, containing in excess of one per cent alcohol, by volume, or any equipment for making any such liquors, or to possess, receive, transport for the purpose of sale any such liquors herein prohibited.

Another provision specifies that these acts shall not be deemed unlawful after permit has been duly authorized and given by the proper authorities for medical, mechanical, scientific or sacramental purposes.

It is further set forth that the purchaser, or possessor of any of the liquors herein prohibited shall be held in law or fact to be an accomplice. No person over twenty-five years of age convicted under any of the provisions of this act shall have the benefit of the suspended sentence law.

To Hold "42" Tournament.

The "42" Tournament which will be held at Hill Crest Country Club Friday night will begin at 7:30 o'clock. All those who wish to attend are requested to call Mrs. C. J. Farrell who will be hostess for the occasion. The Club matron will serve sandwiches and hot chocolate to those who desire refreshments after the games but requests for these must be made to Mrs. Farrell by Thursday noon. A charge of ten cents will be made for the sandwiches and the same for the chocolate.

WILBARGER COTTON PICKING TOTAL IS 12,445 BALES

Consensus Of Opinion Indicates That Three-fourths of County Crop Is Gathered—Figures Intimate That Final Yield May Be Surprising—Remainder Of Crop From Sandy Land.

Statistics collected from every cotton gin operating in Wilbarger county indicate that this morning there had been ginned thus far this season 12,445 bales. This figure is considerably higher than has been generally estimated by a majority of those interested in this year's crop. Many were of the opinion that the entire season's receipts would be in the neighborhood of 12,000 bales.

Gin operators and farmers congregated at the various gins were of the opinion this morning that practically three-fourths of the county crop has been gathered. No estimate placed the amount below seventy per cent. Receipts at the local cotton yard thus far are 7,350 bales, and according to the manager, he has weighed as many so far as were received by Christmas last year. Average daily receipts at the yard are 300 bales.

1,000 Bales At Warehouse.

Close to 1,000 bales have been brought to the local warehouse, Lou Byars said this morning. Mr. Byars is of the opinion that most of the cotton remaining to be gathered will be from sandy country. Some parts of the county have finished picking, he said, especially in the neighborhood of Elliott.

One farmer expressed the belief this morning that with a continuance of fair weather almost all of the cotton will be out of the fields in another ten days. He lives in the northeastern portion of the county, and is of the opinion that fully three-fourths of the crop in that section has been gathered. About 1,100 bales of farm bureau cotton have been received at the compress.

Following are the gins operating in the county, and the amount of cotton handled by each. Thatta ginnings are based on the amount handled from Wilbarger alone.

Ginning Records.

Fargo 1,100 bales; Tolbert 200 bales; Lockett 1,144 bales; Rayland 830 bales; Oklahoma 768 bales; Odell 691 bales and 600 bales; Elliott 430 bales; Thatta 220 bales; Vernon Gin 1,180 bales; Peoples 2,015 bales; Farmers 1,334 bales; Planters 1,903 bales.

At Lockett it was reported that the west end of the community is not yet half through gathering, but the immediate vicinity has passed the fifty per cent mark. All of the gins are ahead of their records at this time last year.

Cotton is coming in a steady stream, and the averages of each Vernon gin are from 60 to 70 bales a day. At the Vernon Gin it was reported that the entire season's run last year, two months, yielded 968 bales while one month so far has exceeded that figure by more than 200.

TO ATTEND CONVENTION

A Number of Men and Women Will Go From Here to Confederate Reunion, It Is Expected.

The annual reunion of the Confederate Veterans will be held at Chattanooga, Tenn., on October 24 to 27 and it is expected that a number of men and women from this county will attend. Those who wish to attend the convention and take advantage of the low rates offered by the railroads may get their certificates from one of the following people: J. A. Creager, W. C. Lundy, J. M. Loftis, Mrs. J. E. Collins, or Mrs. J. P. Hamilton.

The fare is one cent a mile each way. Tickets are good from October 22 to November 17, with the usual stopover privileges.

Local Camp Cabel No. 123 Will

meet at 2 o'clock next Saturday afternoon at the court house when the final arrangement for going will be made.

Return After Filing Land Claim.

Pat Robinson and Frank Byrd returned last week from Taos, county, New Mexico, where each has filed a claim on a section of government land. Mr. and Mrs. Robinson and Mr. and Mrs. Byrd expect to leave early in the spring to live on their holdings for the required seven months period.

MORE'S THEATRE PROGRAM

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Thursday—**ALICE LAKE** in "UNCHARTERED SEAS"
 (Romance of unusual love under the flashing Northern Lights, Vanity Comedy.)

"MIXED BED-ROOMS"
 Coming Friday—David Powell in "Appearance"—Oct. 18 and 19—"The Four Horsemen of the Apocalypse"

PARENT-TEACHERS MEET.

Shive School Organization Starts Work
 Of Year Last Friday—
 Elects Officers.

The first meeting of the year of the Parent-Teachers Association of Shive School was held last Friday afternoon at the school building. Mrs. Joe Napier was re-elected president, and Mrs. A. C. Rayzor was chosen again as vice-president. Other officers elected were: Miss Pauline Davenport, secretary; Mrs. L. E. Piper, treasurer; and Mrs. John D. R. Cooper, press reporter.

After having made a report of the work done by the organization last year, the president appointed the following committees: Membership, Mrs. W. N. Stokes, Mrs. C. J. Farrell, Mrs. Myrtle Napier, Miss Alice Smith, Miss Shellah Porter and Miss Anna Hunter; Year Book, Mrs. C. J. Farrell and Mrs. Eunice Wilson; Finance, Mrs. Rupee Sewell, Mrs. L. K. Johnson, Mrs. B. D. Emlen, Mrs. D. H. Henry and Mrs. Earnest Cane.

E. L. Doloney, superintendent of the city schools, made a talk and pointed out the following things: (1) Application of the grammar school building of the Elson Art Gallery in January, the possibility of a school pageant on November 19, the one hundredth anniversary of the first Anglo-Saxon settlement in Texas; and the beautifying of the school grounds. All suggestions made by him were approved and endorsed by the association.

It was voted to raise enough money to so enlarge the school library that each of the ten rooms may have at least a \$10 library. The treasurer's report showed \$52 in the treasury. There are at present seventy-five members and an annual fee of twenty-five cents is charged each. It was decided to meet on the first Friday of each month at 5 o'clock in the school building.

A first aid kit was ordered bought for the school at the meeting Friday.

Pyramid Drillers Make Progress.

Pyramid drillers are down in the neighborhood of 1,200 feet and progress is satisfactory, according to George I. Hogwood, head driller. No unusual showings have been encountered. The Pyramid hole is about 300 feet south of the Triangle No. 2 location.

Two Giant Home Runs In One Inning.

One of the features of today's world's series game between the New York Giants and the Yankees came when Munsel and Snyder each connected for a home run in the second inning. Munsel scored Kelly ahead of him, while Snyder circled the bases alone. Harper gave way to Shawkey as pitcher for the Yanks in this inning after the national leaguers fell upon his offerings and pounded them all over the diamond.

Mrs. Watts To W. C. T. U. Meeting.

Mrs. Rena Watts left Sunday to attend the mid-year meeting of the State W. C. T. U. to be held in Dallas. The convention will meet in the First Methodist Church. A regional conference will meet at the same time in Grace Methodist Church.

MAY BE PRESIDENT'S CHOICE FOR ENVOY TO GERMANY



William B. Thompson

William Boyce Thompson, New York City banker, according to reports from Washington, is President Harding's choice for Ambassador to Germany. It is rumored in official Washington that both Dr. David Jayne Hill and Lorin Dresser have been eliminated as possible candidates for the post. Mr. Thompson figured prominently in the Republican campaign. He was one of the treasurers of the campaign committee organized in behalf of Major-General Leonard Wood and later was a director of the Harding campaign. He is a director in the Federal Reserve Bank in New York City.

IS NEW COMMANDER-IN-CHIEF OF THE GRAND ARMY

Lewis Stephen Pletcher, Department Commander of the State of New York, G. A. R., who was elected Commander-in-Chief of the Grand Army of the Republic at the fifty-fifth National Encampment, at Indianapolis, Ind. Mr. Pletcher is a resident of Brooklyn, New York.

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VERNON PASTOR IS SENT TO AMARILLO METHODIST CHURCH

Rev. S. W. Hayne Is Second Man to Go From Local Congregation to Panhandle Metropolis in Three Years—Rev. C. A. Waterfield of Jackson, Tenn., Assigned to Vernon.

For the second time in three years the First Methodist Church of Vernon loses its pastor to Amarillo. Rev. Henry F. Brooks was transferred to Amarillo two years ago, after having served the local church one year following a transfer from the Central Texas Conference.

Last year Rev. S. W. Hayne was transferred to Vernon from Hannibal, Mo. He was read out Sunday night for Polk Street, Amarillo, when Bishop McMurray's appointments for 1921-22 were given to the Annual Conference. C. A. Waterfield, a transfer from Jackson, Tenn., was assigned to the Vernon Church.

Members of the local church were amazed that Vernon Methodists were given a new pastor this year, and their surprise has no relation to the merits of the new preacher. For three years now a new preacher has come each fall, and the leaders insist that it is impossible for a man to get hold of a congregation of nearly 900 members in one year.

Rev. Brooks To Shreveport.

Mr. and Mrs. Hayne had taken hold of the work, and it seemed that the local church was to have great growth. Presiding Elder W. P. Garvin felt sure when he went to Annual Conference that there would be no change in the church at Vernon. The official board of the church adopted a set of resolutions asking Mr. Hayne's return and fully expected that he would be pastor of the local congregation another year.

Rev. Henry F. Brooks, pastor at Amarillo, was transferred and it is understood will be stationed at Shreveport, La. He went from Vernon to Amarillo two years ago.

Following is an official list of appointments for the Vernon District:

Vernon District—Presiding Elder, W. P. Garvin; Childress, M. Phelan; Childress, circuit, D. E. Offet, supply; Chillicothe, I. N. Lipscomb; Crowell, W. M. Murrell; Crowell circuit to be supplied; Dumont circuit, E. D. Lambrecht; Estelline, W. B. Hicks; Kirkland and Goodlett, E. A. Thorp; Kings Memorial, E. L. Yeates; Marguerite Circuit, L. B. Hanks; Odell Circuit, A. O. Graden; Paducah, C. E. Flight; Paducah Circuit, J. Fred Cooke; Quanah Station, A. W. Weddill; Quanah Circuit, T. H. Davis, supply; Tell Circuit, J. M. Conklin; Tolbert Circuit, R. V. Tooley; Vernon Station, C. A. Waterfield; Vernon Circuit, F. T. Johnson; Student S. M. U., J. W. McCrary, Jr.

Mrs. Edward P. Alexander of Quanah spent Saturday and Sunday with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. G. McDonald, in Vernon.

A. M. Works returned Saturday morning from Amarillo, where he attended the Northwest Texas Annual Conference of the Methodist Episcopal Church, South.

HERE ARE SOME HATS LATEST FROM PARIS



Paris is again setting the pace in the Fall headwear for milady. The creation on top is the newest style from Paris. It is made of purple velvet, fashioned after the Russian and trimmed with graduated colored grapes around the front. Below is a black velvet and jet beaded chapeau which bids fair to prove popular with the elite this Fall.

GENERAL DIAZ OF ITALY IS COMING TO AMERICA

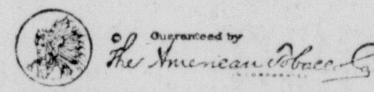


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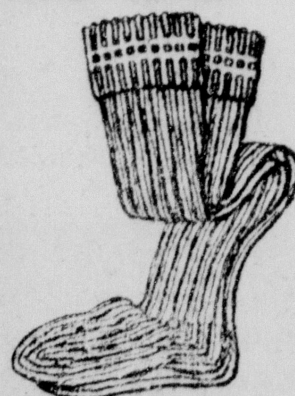
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Every new coat is a reason—Never have Fall Coats had a stronger appeal, so graceful of line, so rich in fabrics and colorings, So adorable, most of them in the snuggling collars that are so becoming to every face. Then so many of the new coats have that WRAPPY effect that makes each one seem as though it was made just for the woman who wears it. You'll enjoy looking at the new ones, this week at—

\$10.00 and \$59.50

NEVER HAVE WE SHOWN SUCH AN ARRAY OF SILK PETTICOATS

Made of soft lustrous silk jersey, of all the new wanted shades. Bloomers, Pettibockers and petticoats in wonderful variety at—

\$2.95 to \$7.95

NEW WOOLEN DRESSES FOR GIRLS 4 to 14 YEARS

The growing miss has not been overlooked. She demands and must have the same style features as her older sister and a look at these new junior dresses will bring expressions of delight from the girls when they see such good dresses at such low prices—

\$5.00 to \$14.00

PLENTY OF "E-Z" UNION SUITS FOR THE CHILDREN

The only genuine "E-Z" Union Suit, we have, all sizes 2 to 12 years at—

\$1.00 per suit

NORTH SIDE
SQUARE.

Perkins-Timberlake Co.
ASSOCIATED STORES

VERNON,
TEXAS

The Vernon Record
(Incorporated)

ISSUED TUESDAYS AND FRIDAYS

Burford O. Brown.....Editor and Manager
Eric G. Schroeder.....Associate Editor
Albert D. Sheppard.....Advertising Manager

Entered in the postoffice at Vernon, Texas,
as second-class mail matter under act of
Congress, March 3, 1879.

Subscribers desiring a change in the ad-
dress of their paper should be careful to
give old as well as new address to insure
prompt attention.

SUBSCRIPTION RATES

One Year.....\$3.00
Six Months.....1.75
Three Months.....1.00
No subscription accepted for shorter period
than three months.

ADVERTISING RATES

Classified advertisements—1 1/2 cent a
word first insertion; three insertions, 3c a
word; minimum charge 25c.

Local reading notices—2c a word first in-
sertion; 3c a word for two insertions.
Card of thanks—50c.
Obituary notices—1c a word.
Poetry—2c a word.
Always include cash when mailing read-
ing notices.

Display advertising—Promotion, 50c a
column inch; all other, 45c.

Foreign Advertising Representative
THE AMERICAN PRESS ASSOCIATION

Vernon, Texas, Tuesday, Oct. 11, 1921

WORKS OF AN OPTIMIST.

John Wannamaker, merchant prince
of Philadelphia, is an optimist. In a
recent statement he declares his belief
in the future, and points out that the
Wannamaker stores are expanding.

The Wannamaker stores are credited
with starting the movement for lower
prices more than a year ago—a move-
ment that has brought a big reduction
in the cost of living. It is to be hoped
that their expansion now is not less
propaganda of a business revival than
was their lowering of prices a year ago.

As to the business outlook, Mr.
Wannamaker says:

"I have more faith in America today,
and more expectation of the future
than at any time in my sixty years in
business life. In our stores we are ex-
panding rather than retrenching. I am
asked: 'Why are you putting fine
goods to the fore, such as jewelry and
silver from the Orient, when business
is slow?' My reply is: 'I have faith in
America.'"

"There will be plenty of work for all
if we show our faith. It is a mistake
to hold back, to relax, to wear blue
glasses, to hold money in our pockets;
rather we should make needed im-
provements, build and rebuild, buy and
sell, putting to work our money, energy
and brains, everything we have to make
the country busy and prosperous.

"Instead of curtailing advertising
our stores are enlarging it. Instead of
standing pat, we are making improve-
ments, which gives work to many
mechanics, both day and night. We
mean to be ready for the good times
just ahead."

Fargo News

Fargo, Oct. 8.—(By special corre-
spondence)—A number of the farmers
are up with their cotton picking for a
week or so.

The Fargo gin caught fire last Sun-
day night, but some of the men were
there at work and put the blaze out.
Not much damage was done except the
seed house was pretty badly burned.

H. H. Scherer is in Denton county
on business.

Hal Olive has purchased a new Ford
car.

Grandma Hooser from Clinton, Okla.,
is visiting her son, H. A. Hooser and
family.

Hugh Starnes from Oklahoma and
some of his friends visited his cousin,
Ray McDaniel, and family Sunday
afternoon.

Edith Bryan, the one-year-old daugh-
ter of Mr. and Mrs. Charlie Bryan,
has been quite ill the past week.

Several of the farmers around Fargo
have mixes with the black-leg.

Charlie Mason has been on the sick
list this week.

Elmer Owens and wife have moved
to his mother's place near Doans,
where he will farm another year.

Rev. R. V. Tooley, pastor of the
Methodist Church at this place, was
robbed last Sunday of \$14.00 on his
way from Tolbert to Fargo.

Several of the people from this com-
munity attended singing at the Baptist
Church in Vernon Sunday afternoon.

Mrs. F. M. Sweatmon has erected a
new rent house on her farm for her
son, Willie.

Some of the Fargo visitors who were
in Vernon Saturday were: Charlie

and Frank Mason, R. E. Harrell, D. W.
May, W. R. McDaniel.

H. E. Key, Jr., is hauling water for
the Starr, Wallis & Starr gin at this
place.

S. B. Starr from Odell was in Fargo
Saturday.

Several of the people around here
are attending the singing school at
the Christian Church.

There will be prayer meeting at the
Methodist Church Wednesday evening.

WHERE IS THE DEAD LINE?

The ministerial dead line of fifty
seems to have vanished. We have
noted the result of an investigation
made among the new pastors of thirty
leading Baptist Churches in this coun-
try. And this was the result:

	1920	1904
Under thirty years of age.....	0	1
Between thirty and forty.....	11	11
Between forty and fifty.....	10	12
Between fifty and sixty.....	17	4
Over sixty.....	2	2

In other words, whereas in 1904
there were pastors under forty in
twelve of the thirty Churches, every
church but one now has a minister who
is over forty, while two-thirds are be-
yond fifty. From these figures the in-
vestigator concludes that "the minis-
ter who is westward of fifty is the man
of the hour. The younger man is look-
ed at askance until he fully proves his
worth and power."

It Started Something

"Your medicine is the talk of the
town since pulling me from the grave.
I have told dozens about it and I know
of at least ten who are now taking
Mayr's Wonderful Remedy, all with
good results. I never saw anything
like it. One man who had been oper-
ated on for gall stones and had them
come back, took it and says his symp-
toms are all gone now and he swears
he is cured." It is a simple, harmless
preparation that removes the catarrhs
from the intestinal tract and al-
lays the inflammation which causes
practically all stomach, liver and in-
testinal ailments, including appendicitis.
One dose will convince or money re-
funded.

Sold in Vernon by Ferguson Drug
Company and druggists everywhere.
It Adv.

The Story of
Our States

By JONATHAN BRACE
XI.—NEW YORK



THE STORY of New York should
rightly begin with 1524, eighty-five
years before Henry Hud-
son's voyage in his little boat,
the Half Moon, up the river
which now bears his name. For
at that early date an Italian
navigator, Verrazano, exploring
for France, sailed into New
York bay. This first visit to
New York made little stir and
was soon forgotten, and it was
Hudson's rediscovery which
tempted the Dutch to send over
colonists and obtain for the
Dutch West India company a
monopoly of the Dutch fur trade
in America. The new colony
which was started in 1623 called
its territory New Netherlands,
after its mother country, and
their principal city New Amster-
dam. It is interesting to reflect
that Manhattan Island, which is
now New York city, was pur-
chased from the Indians for \$24
worth of beads and ribbons.
Even in its earliest days the set-
tlement on Manhattan Island
was cosmopolitan. In 1643 it is
reported that eighteen different
languages were spoken there.
In 1664 the English captured
New Netherlands, and King
Charles II presented the colony
to his brother, the duke of York,
who was later King James II,
and its name was then changed
to New York.

New York played a leading
part in the formation of the
United States. It was Alexander
Hamilton who was New
York's representative in framing
the Constitution and it was New
York city which was selected as
the first capital of the new
Union, where Washington was
inaugurated the first president.
Ever since the Empire state, as
New York is sometimes called,
has held the deciding voice in
presidential elections. Though
its size is only 49,204 square
miles, not quite half way in the
list of states according to area,
its great population gives New
York forty-five presidential elec-
tors, the largest number of any
of the states.
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IS TEACHING IN UNIVERSITY.

Miss Daisy Jones of Vernon Appointed
Assistant In Business Adminis-
tration At Austin.

Miss Daisy Jones of Vernon is an
assistant in the School of Business Ad-
ministration at the University of
Texas. This appointment was made as
a result of heavy enrollment in that de-
partment of the institution.

Miss Jones is a graduate of the Ver-
non high school. She was a student
last year in the University of Texas,
and was employed as secretary this
summer in the State Department of
Education.

More than 500 students have enroll-
ed for Business Administration in the
University, 400 being in the beginning
class, seventy in the advanced steno-
graphic course, and thirty in the non-
credit course in typewriting. The work
is in charge of Miss Florence Stullken.

Other assistants recently appointed
are Misses Florence Cowdry, Susie Tay-
lor, and Katherine Watts, Robert Til-
lery and Lloyd Martin.

BACK BAD TODAY?

Backache is usually kidney ache and
makes you dull, nervous and tired. Use
Doan's Kidney Pills for weak kidneys—
the remedy recommended by your
friends and neighbors. Ask your neigh-
bor?

Mrs. A. J. Butcher, N. Bowie St.,
Vernon, says: "I have used Doan's Kid-
ney Pills with great results. Not long
ago my back and kidneys were in pretty
bad shape caused from doing garden-
ing. My back just ached day and night
right across my loins and was so lame
and sore I could hardly bend over.
When I did stoop over such sharp pain
took me in my back and across my
shoulders that I could hardly straight-
en up. I also suffered from dizzy
spells. My kidneys were weak and ir-
regular in action. I saw Doan's Kid-
ney Pills advertised and got a supply.
Four boxes of this medicine cured me
and put me in fine shape."

Price 60c, at all dealers. Don't sim-
ply ask for a kidney remedy—get
Doan's Kidney Pills—the same that
Mrs. Butcher had. Foster Milburn
Co., Mfrs., Buffalo, N. Y.

SATURDAY
GROCERY
SPECIALS

Can Tomatoes.....	10c
Can Corn.....	12c
Qt. Can Syrup.....	20c
Can Hominy.....	10c
P. & G. Soap, 2 bars.....	15c
Can Pork and Beans.....	10c
Pet Milk, large can.....	16c
Can Blackberries.....	20c
Pound Waco Coffee.....	28c
Can Peaches.....	25c

Many other bargains too numer-
ous to mention.

Girls and boys, have you seen
that bicycle at our store and at
Swartwood's. Get Busy.

Full line of school supplies. This
week a stick of candy with every
purchase of school supplies.
Full line of Candy, etc.

Star Cash Grocery

CASH AND CARRY

621 East Paradise St.

"SHIELD-
BRAND"
CLOTHING

Look for this Label on every Suit.

Talk it
Over
with Us.

and we'll show you
that "Shield Brand"
Clothes do "Fit Well"
and "Wear Well"
and are "The Clothes
you want to buy
at the price you
want to pay."

New Fall Styles
and patterns, more
attractive than ever,
ready for your in-
spection
Come and look them over.

THE
Wide-A-Wake

Vernon, Texas

MILLER SCORES FIRST RUN



Elmer Miller, of the Yankees, scoring the first run of the world series in the first inning at the Polo Grounds, N. Y. Miller opened the inning with a single, went to second on Peck's sacrifice and scored on "Babe" Ruth's timely single.

\$125.00

We offer for a few days one Five Passenger
Automobile in Good Condition, for \$125.00

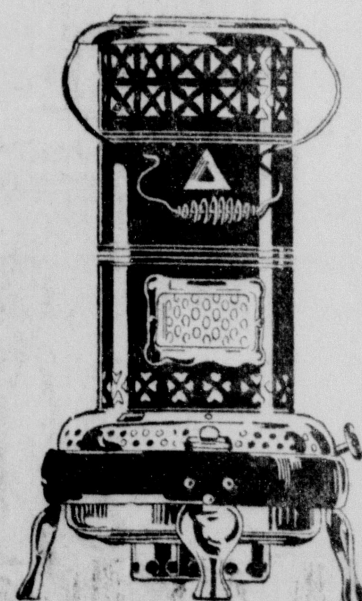
We Also offer one Five Passenger Maxwell
Car. Late Model, Good Tires, New Paint and
New Top, for \$400.00. This car is well worth
\$600.00. Call and try these cars.

Works Auto Company, Inc.A CHARTER OAK AIR-TIGHT
HEATER

is the most ornamental economical and satisfactory
heating stove burning soft coal on the market today.

We do not only recommend this stove, but our assort-
ment is complete. Including School Room Heaters,
Stoves suitable for stores, or any stove needed in the
home, down to the cheapest Bachelor.

For Quick Heat an Oil Heater
Will Answer Every Purpose



We also have Cast Iron and Sheet Iron Wood Heaters.
Cast and Sheet Iron Drum Ovens.

Our Stock of Stove Pipes Dampers, Elbows, Coal
Hods, Shovels and Flue Stops, is very complete.

We have on display an unusual assortment of Stove
Boards.

YOU CAN GET WHAT YOU WANT AT OUR STORE
Swartwood & Co.
HARDWARE & HARNESS
THE WINCHESTER STORE VERNON, TEXAS

GET THE HABIT
OF

Buying your Insurance from the Old Reliable
McColloch Agency.
We handle only the best and can wrap it up in
large or small quantities.

What Do You Say?

Office Phone 257
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Waggoner National Bank Building
C. S. McColloch
(Old Mc)

Before Buying
Gloves

Look over the very large new stock
that we have on display. We have—

LADIES' KID GLOVES

LONG GLOVES

SHORT GLOVES

LADIES' DRIVING GLOVES

WOOL GLOVES

SCHOOL GLOVES

We have any and every kind of gloves.

Before buying see our stock

Crow Sisters

STATE DEPARTMENT ISSUES RULES ON FREE TEXT BOOKS

Instructions Embody Points Over Which Much Controversy Has Arisen—Old Copies of Books Should Be Returned At Once For Credit—All Phases Of Subject Covered.

Instructions concerning free State text books have come to the office of L. A. Hollar, county superintendent of schools, and contain specifications and suggestions that are foreign to the minds of many school trustees and others interested in education. Considerable controversy has arisen from time to time over certain rules concerning free text books, and there has been a variance of opinion on these subjects. One regulation in particular deals with the return of the old books to depositories. It specifies that all copies of languages and grammars used during the past two years, and American histories should be returned to the proper sources in order to receive credit. According to Mr. Hollar, it will only be necessary for trustees to furnish him with the numbers of these books, and it will not be necessary to supply the volumes themselves. By sending in the numbers the credit can be obtained.

Following are the most recent instructions on this phase of school work.

Instructions Concerning Books

1. All books for common school districts should be requisitioned from the county superintendent's depository, whether on original requisition or emergency orders.
2. The original requisitions of independent districts of 150 scholars or less may also be filled by the county superintendent, if the school desires it.
3. Emergency orders of all independent districts of 500 scholars or less should be sent to the county superintendent for filling.
4. All emergency orders must be signed by the president (chairman) of the school board. It is not required that they be made on the regular requisition forms.

Must Protect Books.

1. All books must be covered either by home-made covers of heavy paper, or by patent covers. If a pupil refuses to cover his books, they should be taken up until he is willing to comply with the rules.
2. It is advised that teachers make weekly or bi-monthly inspection of the books to see that they are being cared for properly.
3. Pupils should be required to learn the Good Citizenship Code, found in the pamphlet, "Rules and Directions for the Care of the Books."

4. Books that have been handled by children suffering from a serious contagious disease should be burned. In addition to such diseases as scarlet fever and diphtheria, itch should be added. Pupils suffering from any such disease should be at once excluded from school, until full recovery. This is required by the health laws of the State.

Rules For Selling

1. Pupils may purchase their books.

if they desire, paying for new copies the retail price.

2. If pupils wish to buy used text books, a reduction of 20 per cent of the retail price for each year used may be allowed. This reduction is based on the assumption that the life of a book is five years. The books have not been used long enough to verify this basis.

Fines and Damaged Books.

1. Books that come to pieces because of poor binding should not be charged against the pupils, but this Department should be notified of the names of such texts, that we may hold the publishers to their contracts.

2. If a child is issued a book in good condition, and damages it to such an extent that it cannot be used again, he should be required to pay for the book, allowing a 20 per cent reduction for each year used. The book remains the property of the State. If this rule is strictly enforced, it will very soon teach the children respect for the State's property.

3. In case books are not too badly damaged for further use, but teachers feel that they are abused more than ordinary wear justifies, a small fine may be charged in proportion to the damage, for its wholesome effect upon the pupils in teaching them to care for their books.

4. Teachers are asked to use discretion in requiring pupils to pay for books. They should not be charged for those that the health officer requires destroyed because of contagious diseases in the home where they are used or for those burned in the loss of a home by fire, or for those lost in other non-preventable accidents.

Must Keep Careful Tab.

1. The law requires that money accruing from sales of texts, or from any other source, be sent in monthly to the Text Book Fund. A report on the number and kinds of books sold must accompany the money-order, made on our Form I and sworn to before a notary. This form does not include a list of the supplementary readers, as it was not anticipated that many of these would be sold.

2. The remittances and reports on Form I of both independent and common school districts should be made direct to this department. Copies of all reports should be kept on file by the schools, for they must be included in the annual report.

3. Each school must make an annual report on Form VI at the end of each session. Until this report has been made and a copy of it filed with the school board, the last month's salary vouchers should not be approved. One copy of the report of all independent districts should be sent to this office, and one copy of the common school districts and of those independent districts under the jurisdiction of the county superintendent, should be sent to the county superintendent.

4. Each school should preserve carefully all invoices, or receipts for books transferred to or from the school, as this information also must be given on

Here's a Business FOR VERNON GOOD FOR \$6,000 to \$12,000 Yearly

Two railroad men put an Elektrik Maid Bake Shop equipment in a small town in Wisconsin. Today they are making real money, without having known a thing about the bakery business! Others are doing it in other cities. You have the same chance right here. A cash business; no charges; no deliveries; your profits in the till every night. Everyone who eats is your customer. We supply all equipment and full information. **WRITE OR WIRE TODAY** for full particulars on Elektrik-Maid Bake Shops. Act now to obtain exclusive territory for Vernon.

Elektrik-Maid Bake Shop
321 CEDAR ST. ST. PAUL, MINN.

USE SLOAN'S TO WARD OFF PAIN

You can just tell by its healthy, stimulating odor, that it is going to do you good.

"I only had some Sloan's Liniment!" How often you've said that! And then when the rheumatic twinge subsided—after hours of suffering—you forgot it!

Don't do it again—get a bottle today and keep it handy for possible use tonight! A sudden attack may come on—sciatica, lumbago, sore muscles, backache, stiff joints, neuralgia, the pains and aches resulting from exposure. You'll soon find warmth and relief in Sloan's, the liniment that penetrates without rubbing. Clean, economical. Three sizes—35c, 70c, \$1.40

Sloan's
Liniment (Pain's enemy)



Side Seam Side Seam
Center Front Fold Center Back Fold Cut Here Center Back
Seam Girdle Cut 4 Center Back Lining Lining
Front Center Fold No. 8 ©1921 Cut 2

Chain Stitched Blue Taffeta Dress
Designed and Described by
Marion Davies
For Ten Dollars Any Girl Can Make This
Pretty Afternoon Dress

By **MARION DAVIES**
Film Star of "The Restless Sex," "Buried Treasure," etc.

The chain stitch which I learned when I was in convent school stood me in good stead when I was contemplating a simple afternoon dress for summer. I made it in medium light blue taffeta with the chain stitching in bright green pastel. I put groups of French knots inside the rings which I measured, by the way, with a dessert plate, marking around it with a pencil.

The dress itself is so simple to make that if you follow the pattern I have drawn, even though you have never made a frock before, you will find no difficulty. Any of the pastel shades will do for the stitching and the dress itself can be made in any color and doesn't necessarily have to be silk. Organdy or linen you would be sure to like. The cost of this dress can be as little or as great as you wish, though in any case it is not an expensive design. I should say that \$10 would nicely cover it.

The pattern is laid on the one-sixteenth reduction scale for size 36.

I will be glad to answer any questions about it if you have any difficulties. Address me at Cosmopolitan Productions, 127th Street, New York City.

the annual report.

Can Buy No More.

1. No more books can be purchased from pupils, as the time limit under which these could be purchased expired on September 1st, 1921. The law makes no provision for the State's buying back from pupils books of the present adoption that they have bought.

VII. Return of Old Books to Depositories.

1. All copies of the languages and

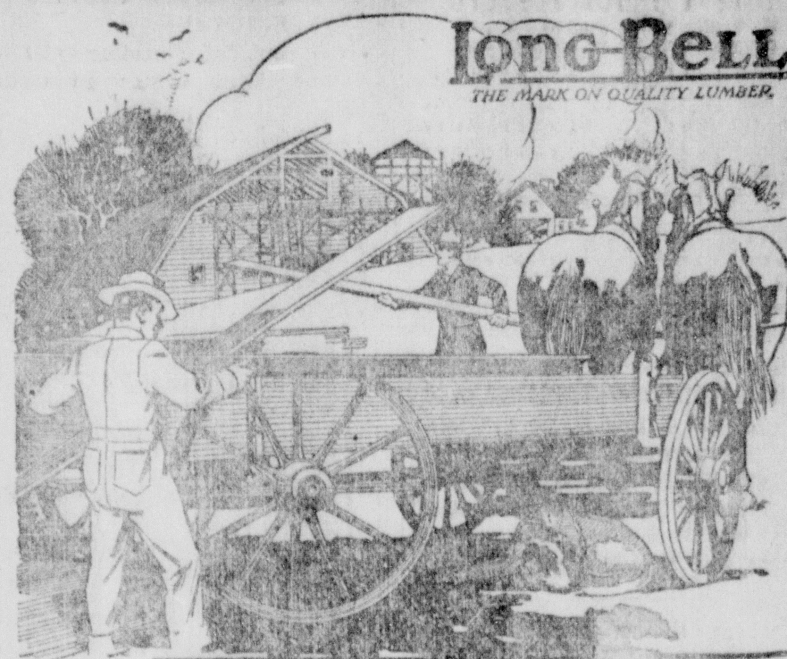
grammars used the past two years

should be returned at once, to Ginn & Co., Dallas, Texas, with a list of the books and the name, district number and county of the school. All copies of Cousins and Hill's American History should be returned to Southern School Book Depository, Dallas, Texas. A list of both should be sent to this office on Form III. Every book returned means that much saved for the avail-

able School Fund.

2. No other texts should be returned to the depositories without first writing to this office. No texts should ever be sent to this office, as we do not keep a supply of books, and it is extra expense to send them on to Dallas, or to return them to the schools.

Miss Lucile Marr of Fargo was in Vernon Saturday to sign a contract to teach this year.



Don't Waste Lumber —Use a Plan

Do you know, it often costs more to build an old-fashioned, poorly arranged, unattractive barn, than it does to build one that is up-to-date, scientifically framed and planned. One that will add more to the value of the farm than the barn costs?

To get the most out of you building money and labor you should build with our barn plans. Old rule of thumb building methods waste lumber and labor. Such methods use too much material where it is not needed, and too little where it is.

Examine our barn plans before deciding how you will build. THEY WILL SAVE YOU MONEY AND GREATLY INCREASE THE SATISFACTION YOU WILL EXPERIENCE WHEN THE BARN IS COMPLETE.

Long-Bell Lumber Co. OF TEXAS

VERNON, Corner Dawson and Fannin Sts. TEXAS



Quality and Skill make OUR SUITS what they are

CONSIDER all the forethought and skill that is put into our Suits. They follow the styling of the season but, there is always that adroit treatment that gives them an air of their own. Try our Suits once and you'll demand them always.

We're Showing the Greatest Value in Years at
\$19.50, \$24.50, \$34.50 \$44.50 and \$49.50

New Caps for Boys \$1 and \$1.50

And they answer the boys' every requirement. Never have we shown better caps for the money. Plenty of sizes this week.



Your Winter Underwear Is Here

Not just Underwear, but well made, warm garments that are a pleasure to wear. In all the different weights in cotton and wool. \$1.50 suit and up to—

\$5.00

This Week Is a Good Time to Buy Your Stetson

While assortments are their best and you can get your size in the style and color you want. Stetsons at \$7 and up to \$15. Other good hats at—

\$3.00 and \$5.00

Perkins-Timberlake Co.
ASSOCIATED STORES

DEFEATS CECIL LEITCH IN GOLF CHAMPIONSHIP



Mrs. Frederick C. Letts, Jr.

Mrs. Frederick C. Letts, Jr., of the Onwentsia Club, Chicago, who sprung the surprise of the women's national golf championship tournament now being played at the Hollywood Country Club, Deal, N. J., by defeating Miss Cecil Leitch, British, French and Canadian champion, by 1 up in the second round of the tournament. Miss Leitch was picked by many to annex the American title.

NEW SCHOOL BUILDING READY.

Structure At Odell Erected At Cost Of \$22,000 Where Old Building Stood.

Odell's new school building is expected to be ready next week for the opening of school. The structure is two stories high of brick construction, and was erected at a cost of \$22,000. Fifteen thousand dollars worth of bonds were voted.

Fire destroyed the school building at Odell last spring.

Trustees of the Odell school are W. P. Starr, P. L. Hart, Earle Beach, A. H. Thrush, A. C. Rogers, W. A. White and M. Crowder. T. E. Pierce is principal. Other teachers are Mrs. T. E. Pierce, Mrs. R. B. Thompson, Miss Elizabeth Blackley, Miss Rosa Heavaty and Miss Georgia Chapman.

VERNON MEETS CHILDRESS SATURDAY IN FOOTBALL.

Captain J. A. Morrow will leave Saturday morning for Childress with his local football team to meet the strong high school aggregation of that city in what will be the third game of the season for Vernon. It has not yet been decided how many men will take the trip. Childress is known to have a husky representation this season, and recently defeated Wellington in a game although suffering defeat early in the season at the hands of Altus.

Morrow is working his men hard for the contest, and expects the team to be in the best of shape. Barring minor injuries, the squad now is in good condition. Strenuous scrimmage is the program for the remainder of the week.

India's Caste System.

The caste system of India is the cancer that gnaws at her heart. To the uninformed, it is astounding to know that in that land there are 2,378 principal castes and tribes. These are subdivided so that there are 100,000 caste divisions in India and no two of these can intermarry. Of the 153,000,000 women with civil state, one in six is a widow. They are not allowed to remarry. Of these widows, their census gives 111,973 under ten years of age and 17,703 under five years of age. This is an unthinkable condition existing in one of the oldest civilizations of the earth.

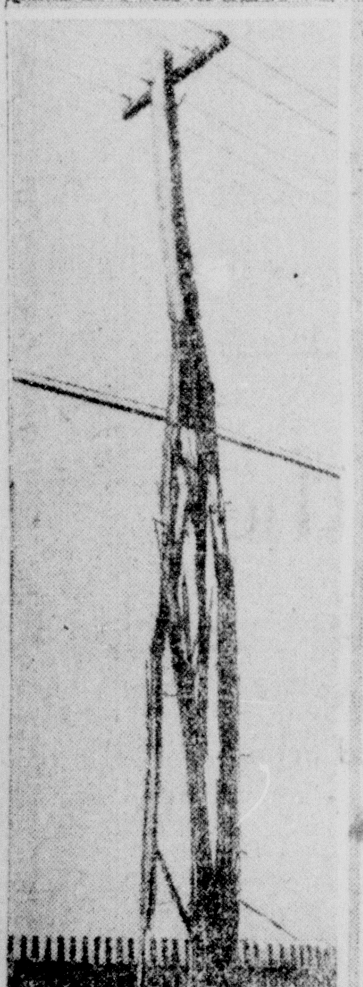
To Honor Soldier Dead.

With the entire nation paused at noon in two minutes of silent prayer, American Legion service men of the world war from State and territory will do homage to the unknown American soldier at Arlington national cemetery on Armistice Day. Medal of Honor men also have been designated by the government as official mourners. Honorary pallbearers will be eight generals of the army and four admirals of the navy, with non-commissioned and petty officers as body bearers. President Harding will deliver the funeral oration.

Ronda Wants New School.

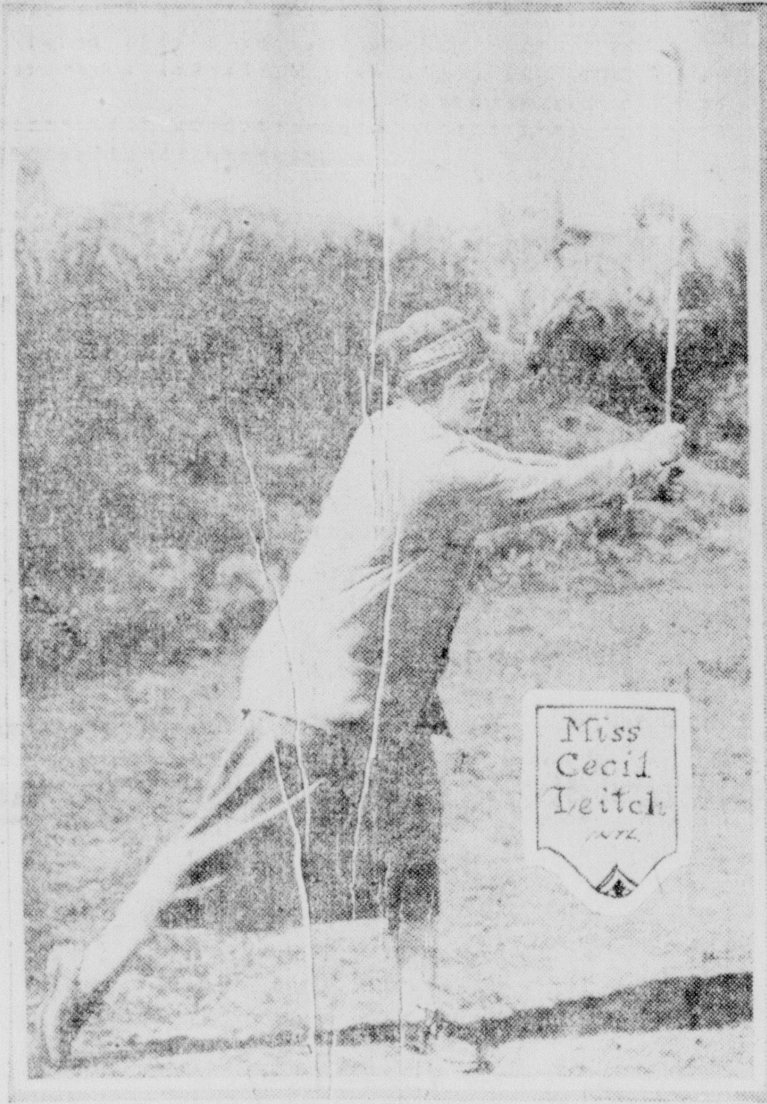
D. Melton, Albert Stone and W. W. Welch, school trustees of Ronda, were in Vernon Saturday to request County Superintendent of Schools Hollar to get bids on a new school house for their district. It is proposed constructing a two room building.

BREAK OF THE STORM THAT IS STILL STANDING



This telegraph pole on the Lincoln-Westbury Road near Mineola, Long Island, was the target of a bolt of lightning in a severe storm. The center part of the pole is shattered, while the upper and lower parts retain their natural appearances. The weird part of the story is that the pole is still standing, and here it is.

CHAMPION OF 3 COUNTRIES AFTER AMERICAN CROWN



Miss Cecil Leitch, British, French and Canadian woman golf champion photographed on the course of the Hollywood Country Club at Dele, N. J., where she will play in the American title tournament. Miss Leitch, who is undoubtedly the best woman golfer in the world today, is picked by the experts to annex the American title. She has defeated Miss Alexa Stirling, the defending champion, three times this year.

SIX TEACHERS SUCCESSFULLY PASS STATE EXAMINATIONS

Six teachers passed the State examination conducted here Friday and Saturday of last week. Certificates were awarded as follows:

Miss Cordelia Chaffin, Vernon, first grade; Miss Lessie D. Williams, Odell, second grade; Mrs. Fannie Swinney, Gasoline, second grade; W. J. Swinney, Gasoline, second grade; A. G. Johnson, Odell, second grade; Miss Faye Cook, Tolbert, second grade.

Odell School Opens Monday.

T. E. Pierce, principal at Odell school, was in Vernon yesterday. The session at that place will in all probability commence next Monday. Mr. Pierce said, and the enrollment is expected to be from 175 to 200 students. A new school building has just been completed at Odell.

C. C. White, a school teacher from Oklaunion, was in Vernon Saturday.

MRS. HUGGINS HONORS HIGH SCHOOL TEACHERS

Mrs. W. H. Huggins was hostess Tuesday evening to local high school teachers at her studio on West Paradise street. Her pupils delighted the guests with a music recital, after which 42 was enjoyed.

The following program was presented: Song "Fickle Little Butterfly"; "Band Patrol" from "Ruins of Athens," Beethoven, Louise Baird; "Robins Return," Fischer, Hazel McElroy; "Melody of Love," Engleman, Frances Shaffer; "La Piedad," D. Costa, Christine Gregory; "Dance in The Grove by Hyatt," Ada Latham; Duo "Military March," Engleman, Frances Collins and Mrs. Huggins; Song "Little Buttercup," from H. M. S. Pinafire Opera, Hazel Vaughn; "Balley Dance," Hyatt, Marie Yarbrough; "Minnel," Paderewski, Kathleen Batchelor; reading, Hazel Vaughn; "Moonlight on the Hudson," G. D. Wilson, Ruth Walker; "March Triumphant," A.

Gloria, Louise Baird at first piano and Mrs. Huggins at second piano.

The guests were: Mr. and Mrs. E. L. Dohoney, Mr. and Mrs. J. N. Fulcher, Mr. and Mrs. Knox Kinard, Misses Dora Flack, Frances Oliver, Sallie Fellman, Anna Joe Pendleton, and J. A. Morrow of the high school; Mr. and Mrs. L. G. Hawkins, Mr. and Mrs. E. P. Hicks, Mr. and Mrs. J. V. Townsend, Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Birdsong, Mr. and Mrs. B. O. Brown, and Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Huggins.

Delicious refreshments were served.

Crowell Bureau Cotton Burns.

Eighty-eight bales of farm bureau cotton burned last week at Crowell, according to a report reaching Vernon. Insurance, it is said, was paid in four days at the rate of the current market price.

To Have Box Supper.

The Tolbert Woman's Club will hold a box supper in the school house Friday night. The proceeds will go to the school. Every one is invited to be present and all the women are requested to bring boxes.

L. W. Bellenger of Newcastle spent the week-end in Vernon.

Mr. and Mrs. Robert Boyle returned Saturday evening from Wichita Falls, where they attended meetings of the Amarillo Presbytery and the Synod of Texas.

E. F. Waggoner of Bugskuffe was in Vernon Monday.

Prof. J. M. Horn of Tolbert was in Vernon Saturday.

Miss Lucy Neal of Wichita Falls has been visiting Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Vernon. Miss Neal taught school in Vernon last year and has many friends here.

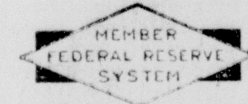
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Prices Smashed in This Wonderful Value Giving Sale on Quality Merchandise

Nothing Reserved. Our Complete Stock Goes In This Sale

Thursday, October 13

Before moving, we desire to reduce our stock and to do this we are offering everything in our store in our

REMOVAL SALE

To do this we are making some unheard of prices on all of our new Fall merchandise

COAT SUITS, COATS, DRESSES
SILK UNDERWEAR,
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PLAIN AND FANCY HOSE

In fact, every article in our store is cut from

10 to 25 Per Cent

right at the very beginning of the season. Think of it! This sale comes at the BEGINNING not the END of the season at these remarkable prices.

MISS J. L. MURRAY

The Place to Eat

Why make the wife undertake all the work necessary in preparing all the meals? Give her a rest now and then. Bring your family or guests here and enjoy our Special Meals, prepared exactly to your taste.

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Good Groceries

At prices that will make my business grow a little faster. I sell only quality goods and even in the cheaper goods of meat like dry salt and smoked bacon I do not buy the heavier and coarser grades.

Prices on a few articles follow:

Dry Salt Bacon, 18 to 20 average, per lb.	16c
Smoked Bacon, 18 to 20 average per lb.	19c
Full Cream Cheese, per lb.	35c
Pure Country made Sargum, per 10 lb. bkt.	\$1.00
Belle of Vernon Flour, per sack.	\$2.15
Meal, per 25 lb. sack.	60c

Have in stock a fine assortment of Candies in five cent packages. Also Heinz New Crop Dill Pickles, in the barrel.

You are always welcome to come in and look around whether you buy or not. Am always glad for you to see the quality of my goods and the sanitary manner in which I handle groceries.

J. C. Smith, Groceries

Phone 741

CASH AND CARRY

127 W. Wilbarger

JAPAN'S DELEGATES TO ARMS PARLEY



According to dispatches from Tokyo, the Japanese delegates to the Washington Conference on Limitation of Armaments and Problems of the Pacific have been officially announced as follows: Prince Iyesaro Tokugawa, President of the House of Peers; Vice-Admiral Tomosaburo Kato, Minister of the Navy; and Baron Kijuro Shidehara, Ambassador to the United States. The secretaries to the chief delegates will be Masanao Hanihara, Vice Foreign Minister; Tsuneo Matsubara, chief of the American and European section of the Foreign Office; Dr. K. Hayashi and Toru Takao, counsellors of the Foreign Office.

PERHAPS HE HAD BETTER TAKE HIS IDEA TO THE FAIR.

Morgan Lindsey, mechanic at Napier Bros. Motor Co., has developed an entirely new method of unclothing the human figure in the space of a few seconds, provided that same figure will abide rigidly by all the rules and regulations Mr. Lindsey specifies. The aforementioned young man has personally tested out the efficacy of his idea and discovered that while the effect on the clothes is not particularly edifying, there is no doubt that the result finds the wearer stripped of all garnishments in the traditional Adam mode.

The innovation came to light Saturday morning while Lindsey was laboring over a particularly refractory bit of a Ford secured in a somewhat elaborate piece of power machinery in the garage. One feature of this mechanism is a revolving piece of metal that does any one of a hundred things one is charged for every time he trusts his flivver to the mercies of the modern jitney specialist.

Loses His Footnote.

Footling on an oily tread was too precarious, and Lindsey suddenly slipped until he fell almost upon the whirling mechanism. He managed, however, to brace himself with his hands as the revolving points caught his clothing, and thus saved himself from what would undoubtedly have proved serious injury. Robbed of its human prey, the machinery snatched eagerly at the overalls and underclothing in its grasp, and when the switch was pulled by a fellow mechanic, Lindsey was a human reproduction of Mr. September Morn.

His costume, although decollete, hardly revealed that of the shivering one in the limpid depths, however, for

Hattie Rogers
Teacher of Art

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Dr. E. B. Jones Res. Phone 498

Elder J. T. Cabe of Electra was in Vernon yesterday. Mr. Cabe formerly lived here, and has many friends in Vernon.

W. N. Stokes is in Houston on matters connected with the Federal Land Bank. Mr. Stokes is secretary of the Wilbarger Farm Loan Association.

Farm Loans

SEE S. M. Fentress and R. W. (Bob) Walker, Room 205 Waggoner Natl. Bank building. 75-8a.

P. M. McKinley is expected home tomorrow from Dallas.

Mr. and Mrs. A. H. Murchison expect to leave tomorrow for Terrell and Farmersville, Texas, and Medall, Oklahoma.

Mrs. Pauline Morris, who is in Rochester, Minn., for her health, will be obliged to remain there a month, her physicians state. Mrs. Morris is undergoing treatment at the Mayo brothers sanitarium.

Mrs. S. W. Bailey left for Dallas where she will attend the Fair and visit relatives for a week.

T. G. Knight, past commander of Worth Commandery 19 at Fort Worth, has been in Vernon inspecting the local commandery.

Albert D. Sheppard left Saturday night for Fort Worth where he was called by the illness of a relative.

Mr. and Mrs. C. A. Richie returned from Dallas where Mr. Richie has been undergoing treatment on his eye.

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Wish you boys would loosen up a little—Old Me. 76-4tc

John Storey and Shirley Cook drove to Wichita Falls on business Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. L. G. Hawkins left this morning for Long Beach, Calif., where they were called by the serious illness of Mrs. Hawkins' father, Robert Housels.

Holcomb Training School, Vernon, Texas—Business Course, Literary Course. The great combination wins. Best courses ever offered. Write for information. 75-8tp

For the Young Business Man

Some day the young business man will be a big business man.

Right now, perhaps, there isn't any money profit in carrying his checking account. But some day, as that account grows, and as the owner grows with it, the bank will be repaid for having counseled the young man and co-operated with him in his business success.

So, this bank invites the young business man who wishes to grow. We have seen many a small account grow into a large one and have earned the thanks for helpful service cheerfully rendered at all times.

We want your account. But, what is more, we want you as a growing business man to associate yourself with this bank.

FARMERS STATE BANK

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Every family whose groceries come from this store will have ample reason to be satisfied, for each item will be of the finest quality possible to procure.

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Sort of puzzling, isn't it? And yet Christmas is less than 90 shopping days off.

Sure, you can't afford to neglect or forget friends this year any more than other years, but you may want to remember them at less expense.

Christmas Cards Offer
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Thoughtful friends appreciate this form of Christmas remembrance. You can thus remember a number of friends for what it would cost you to give a present to one.

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FOR SALE—REAL ESTATE

TO TRADE—For Plains Land 640 acres Shamrock, all tillable but 40 acres, 300 acres good sandy land ten miles northeast of Shamrock, 2 room house, cellar, crib, shed, orchard, fine for hog ranch. \$30 an acre; \$10,000 equity, balance easy. Also 60 acres blue miles north of Vernon. Red sandy land, 50 acres in cultivation, 6 room bungalow, crib, sheds, well, and etc. \$7,000 clear. Would trade with the 640 acres near Shamrock. W. J. Danks, Jr., Vernon, Texas. 76-4p.

OWN A SUBURBAN HOME—am cutting up my farm, and will sell in blocks of 2, 3, 4, 5, 6, 7, 8, 9, 10, 12, 15, 20, 25, 30, 40, 50, 60, 75, 100, 150, 200, 300, 400, 500, 600, 750, 1000, 1500, 2000, 3000, 4000, 5000, 6000, 7500, 10000, 15000, 20000, 30000, 40000, 50000, 60000, 75000, 100000, 150000, 200000, 300000, 400000, 500000, 600000, 750000, 1000000, 1500000, 2000000, 3000000, 4000000, 5000000, 6000000, 7500000, 10000000, 15000000, 20000000, 30000000, 40000000, 50000000, 60000000, 75000000, 100000000, 150000000, 200000000, 300000000, 400000000, 500000000, 600000000, 750000000, 1000000000, 1500000000, 2000000000, 3000000000, 4000000000, 5000000000, 6000000000, 7500000000, 10000000000, 15000000000, 20000000000, 30000000000, 40000000000, 50000000000, 60000000000, 75000000000, 100000000000, 150000000000, 200000000000, 300000000000, 400000000000, 500000000000, 600000000000, 750000000000, 1000000000000, 1500000000000, 2000000000000, 3000000000000, 4000000000000, 5000000000000, 6000000000000, 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COTTON TAKES SHARP DECLINE

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relatively smaller compared with gin returns of previous seasons, probably figuring less than last year to October 18, when 5,755,000 bales were accounted for, whereas to September 25, gin returns this year were 2,908,000 vs. 2,250,000 last year.

Indications are that by November 1, all but the remnant of this year's production will likely have passed through the gins, some gins in localities not having faced a belt because of the crop failure. The October 3 government report estimated this year's crop at only 6,537,000 bales, whereas to November last year there was ginned 7,500,000 bales, or nearly 1,000,000 bales more than this year's crop promises to be.

After November 1 last year ginning amounted to 5,762,000 bales, whereas after November 1 this year, ginnings will likely be nil. In other words there was within less than 1,000,000 bales as much cotton ginned after November 1 last year as this year's crop promises to be. Could the prospective situation be more bullish?

Yield May Surprise.

A. Norden and Co. of New York make the following comment on the situation of last week:

"The two government reports of Monday are followed by a sharp selling movement, partly hedging of spots, partly voluntary or forced liquidation of long commitments, and partly short sales, and since then the market has been nervous and erratic, with the declines apparently having stronger backing than the advances, probably owing to increasing pressure of spot cotton, with the marketing process in full swing. It is becoming more apparent every day that holders are in general willing to sell around the present level, though doubtless they would withdraw on severe breaks.

With no further condition to be issued, the official indication of the crop, until the final estimate of the Agricultural Bureau in December, is 6,537,000 bales, but many find it difficult to reconcile such a theoretical indication with the actual fact that 2,907,950 of those bales had already been ginned up to Saturday, September 24th; the skepticism aroused by those ginning figures has undoubtedly neutralized to a great extent the effect of the bullish condition figure and crop indication, especially as last year the Bureau indication was 1,300,000 bales below the actual output.

The argument is, of course, that this crop is more nearly picked and ginned than any previous crop, and from all reports this assertion seems to be warranted; it loses some of its force, however, from having been brought out with the same emphasis year after year since the periodical reports of the Census Bureau began to be of interest."

RAIL WAY TIME TABLE.

—Denver Northbound—
No. 7 (through)..... 5:20 a. m.
No. 3..... 2:15 p. m.
No. 1 (through)..... 3:59 p. m.

—Denver Southbound—
No. 5 (through)..... 12:55 a. m.
No. 2 (through)..... 1:06 p. m.
No. 4..... 10:45 a. m.

—Frisco Outbound—
Train 622 for Clinton..... 8:09 a. m.
Train 618 for Okla. City..... 3:36 p. m.

—Frisco Inbound—
Train 621 from Clinton..... 8:00 p. m.
Train 617 from Okla. City..... 6:45 a. m.

Burning Ford Causes Alarm.

A Ford touring car belonging to C. A. Lawhorn occasioned calling out the fire department about 4 p. m. Monday when faulty electrical wiring caused flames to burst forth. The blaze was extinguished with little damage to the car.

Dentists and Medical Students.

FOR SALE—The surgical instruments, medical books and medicines of the late Dr. McBride all or part. Bargain, see

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Revival At Oklaunion.

Rev. B. A. Beasley of Abilene will commence a revival meeting Saturday night, October 15, at the Oklaunion Church of Christ. A special invitation has been extended for everyone to come.

Farm Loans

SEE S. M. Pentreas and R. W. (Bob) Walker, Room 205 Wagoner Natl Bank building. 75-87c

Miss Belle Allingham went Saturday to La Platte, Mo., where she will visit relatives.

Why buy a winter mattress when you can get a long-lint mattress at Price's Mattress Factory for \$8.42c Deaf Smith street. 73-c

EVACUATION OF NICOMEDIA BY THE GREEK RESIDENTS



War is still raging in Asia Minor between the Greeks and Turks under Kemal. The above illustration shows Greek soldiers resting along the river bank at Chialavan. Fearing the wrath of the Turks, the Greek population of

Nicomedia has evacuated the city. The photograph below shows Greek ships lying in the harbor, while the Greeks are seeking refuge aboard. Nicomedia is the ancient name given to the city of Ismid, at the head of the Gulf of Ismid. It is the capital of Bithynia and about fifty-six miles from Constantinople.

IN SOCIETY

DELPHIAN CLUB MEETS WITH MRS. E. RHOADS

The Delphian Club held its third meeting of the year at the home of Mrs. Emory Rhoads last Wednesday. Mrs. W. N. Stokes was leader of the lesson, the subject of which was "The Classical School of Music," with especial attention given to Mozart and Beethoven. Refreshments were served during the social hour at the close of the literary discussion. Twenty-five of the thirty-four members were present at the meeting last week.

The club roll, revised for the year 1921-22, is as follows: Mesdames W. W. Bennett, Frank Byrd, W. D. Berry, O. A. Brunson, Y. H. Babasin, H. O. Coley, M. C. Culbertson, R. B. Gibson, G. G. Kemp, F. M. Kemp, Roy Martin, Emory Rhoads, W. N. Stokes, Clint Swartwood, R. E. Townsend, Arthur Vernon, B. A. Williams, J. W. Wheatley, W. R. Moore, M. J. Moore, J. E. Morrow, E. L. Pendleton, Howard Timberlake, R. D. L. Killough, Joe Parker, W. A. Wilhelm and H. B. Wilhelm; and Misses Cleo Bowers, Minnie King, Ethel Hauser, Esther Swartwood, Harriet Thomas, Erma Rhoads and Alma Coleman. The club meets on the second and third Wednesdays of each month.

John Storey went to Wichita Falls Saturday on business.

L. H. Squires went to Dallas Saturday night.

Chandler Carraway spent the week-end with relatives here.

THIS POWDER BOX IS WORN LIKE WRIST WATCH



It's worn like a watch and looks like a timepiece. It wasn't a wrist-watch that gleamed golden on the slender white arm extended to the strap in the subway car. Passengers noticed and wondered why the octagonal gold case on the neat strap had neither dial nor hands visible. Perhaps it was something new in "hunting case" wrist watches. Or perhaps something new in lockets. It was neither. Some of the passengers who watched the passenger as she left the train at a busy station saw her open the gold lid of the wrist ornament and extract therefrom a powder-puff, which she applied to her nose, carefully watching the operation in a small mirror under the lid of the box.

GIVEN SILVER CHEST BY CLEVELAND BALL FANS



Peckinpugh presented with silver chest, etc.

Peckinpugh's father presenting the Yankee shortstop with a silver chest sent him by Cleveland fans. The presentation was made just before the second game of the world series got under way.

Liberty Cafe

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Vernon Afternoon and Night Mon. Oct. 17

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DAILY

WILD TIGERS, BEAR, MONKEY, ROMAN, HORSE, ELEPHANT, CAMEL, CLOWNS, ACROBATS, MARINERS, RIDERS

Marriage Licenses Issued.

Marriage licenses were issued October 6 to Henry Janca and Miss Martha Hempel, October 6 to R. S. Hicks and Miss Mildred Reando, October 6 to Jesse A. Biff and Miss Ethel Greer of Electra, October 7 to J. T. Stephens of Burkholder and Miss Lena Vera Lucky of Fort Worth, October 8 to W. S. Haynes of Vernon and Miss Iva Dodson of Weatherford, October 8 to W. R. Fore and Miss Viola Hicks, October 9 to L. G. Withers and Miss Lena McCroskey, October 10 to G. H. Coker of Rochester and Mrs. M. E. Greer of Electra, October 10 to H. T. Hildebrandt and Miss Mary Lowke, October 10 to M. T. Bickley and Miss Myrtle Parks of Electra.

Court Assesses Penalty For Theft.

E. C. Fore plead guilty Saturday afternoon in the county court to a charge of theft and was fined \$10 and costs and sentenced to twenty days on the road.

Record classified ads bring results.



Important Change In Time of Trains

A Change in Schedule of Certain Frisco Trains Will Be Made Effective

Sunday, Oct. 16, 1921

For Detailed Information inquire of the Ticket Agent

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A beautiful showing of new Fall
Hats ranging in prices from
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Winter Is Coming

Now is the most logical time of all to start those new buildings you are going to have for winter. If you have no new buildings in mind, you are bound to have more or less repair work to be done on some of your old buildings.

Building Material

is worth studying. You want value received for the money that you put into any building, be it a chicken house or a fine residence. We carry a complete stock of Building Material and take just as much pleasure, give the same excellent courtesy, service and building helps when we are figuring on a chicken house as we do the residence.

See our prices on Builder's Hardware, paint, oils, varnishes, or anything else that goes into, on, or around a building.

W. E. Thomas Lumber Co.

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MORE'S THEATRE PROGRAM

(De Luxe Program—Continuous Performances.)

Now Playing To-day—Tuesday
THOMAS MEIGAN in "WHITE AND UNMARRIED"
 (The romance of a dashing "yankee" bachelor who started out to do Paris, and did.)

Kineto Review—Gold of Tex. and Comedy

Wednesday—**EDITH ROBERTS**

as "The Little White Tigress" in

"THUNDER ISLAND"

2 Reel Sunshine Comedy—

"SHERIFF NELL'S COME-BACK"

Thursday—**ALICE LAKE** in "UNCHARTERED SEAS"
 (Romance of a dashing love under the flashing Northern Lights. Vanity Comedy.)

"MIXED BED-ROOMS"

Coming Friday—David Powell in "Appearances"—Oct. 18 and 19—"The Four Horsemen of the Apocalypse"

GO TO THEATRE

At the Pictorium.

Today—Gail Kane in "Idle Hands."

Majorie Travers, a small town girl, thought a stage career awaited her in the metropolis, whither she stole in company with a youth who assured her he could fulfill her desire—a desire born of idleness. Back home a mother and sister waited anxiously for news of the truant. Finally a letter came hinting that she was an unwilling captive behind portals from which there seemed to be no escape. The new proved too much for the mother; and the sister started out in search of her poor foolish little Marjorie. She finds her, at last, in the "Golden Dragon," in Chinatown; and with the aid of the mayor who falls in love with her, she rescues her.

Wednesday—Neal Hart in "Kingfisher's Roost."

No money could buy any information about "Kingfisher." No man knew whence he came nor where he went. No one had ever been found who could even describe his appearance; and yet he was the most notorious outlaw along the Mexican border. His mystery is solved in this picture.

Thursday—Elaine Hammerstein in "Remorseless Love."

The story has for a background the picturesque Kentucky mountains and tells a tale of the simple mountain folk whose main concern seems to be the upholding of the family tradition of incessant warfare against their neighbors. The star plays the part of a girl in whose veins runs blood of both factions, and to settle these family differences the girl devotes herself and well-guided efforts.

At More's Theater.

Today—Thomas Meigan in "White and Unmarried."

A crook inherits a fortune and departs for Europe. On the boat he meets Dorothea, a girl with whose photograph he has fallen in love. Arrived in Paris he takes her to see the "other side" of the city. In a cafe Dorothea becomes infatuated with Marcel, a French rogue, and Billy becomes interested in Andree, a little dancer, thereby arousing the jealousy of Chico. The latter kidnaps Andree, and it is only after a sensational gun fight that she is captured by the man who is in love with her—the American crook.

Wednesday—Edith Roberts in "Thunder Island."

Isola Garcia, a beautiful Latin-American girl, is rescued from sheep bandits by Paul Corbin and her gratitude ripens into love. She learns that

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Bring on your mere men, steeplejacks. Miss Louise Higgins, daring New York girl, is ready to duplicate all their stunts and then go them one better. Miss Higgins was all set to hang by her toes from the roof of a New York skyscraper when officials of the building interfered and chased her down to terra firma. The higher the building the better she can work, says the venturesome young woman.

she is a married woman. Mendoza, an aged ranch owner to whom she has been married on his deathbed so that he could dispose of his property in certain ways, sends word to her that he has recovered and that she must come to him. His agent starts with her, but the old rancher really dies and she is finally free to marry Corbin.

Friday—Alice Lake in "Uncharted Seas."

She had forgiven him so many times that her pleasure-loving husband thought his long-suffering wife would stand for anything. But in his selfish carousals he tried it, with the result that under the pale glow of northern lights a tangled romance is unfurled in a manner to make the onlooker hold his breath.

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PARENT-TEACHERS MEET.

Shive School Organization Starts Work
 Of Year Last Friday—

Elects Officers.

The first meeting of the year of the Parent-Teachers Association of Shive School was held last Friday afternoon at the school building. Mrs. Joe Napier was re-elected president, and Mrs. A. C. Rayzor was chosen again as vice-president. Other officers elected were: Miss Pauline Davenport, secretary; Mrs. L. E. Piper, treasurer; and Mrs. John L. R. Cooper, press reporter.

After having made a report of the work done by the organization last year, the president appointed the following committees: Membership, Mrs. W. X. Stokes, Mrs. C. M. Farrell, Mrs. Myrtle Napier, Miss Alice Smith, Miss Shellah Porter and Miss Lyla Hunter; Year Book, Mrs. C. J. Taylor and Mrs. Eunice Wilson; Finance, Mrs. Ruppel, Mrs. L. K. Johnson, Mrs. B. D. Flunkin, Mrs. D. H. Henry and Mrs. Earnest Cade.

E. L. Dohoney, superintendent of the city schools, made a talk and pointed out the following things: (1) Education of the grammar schools; (2) Education of the high schools; (3) Education of the possibility of a school parent on November 19, the one hundredth anniversary of the first Anglo-Saxon settlement in Texas; and the beautifying of the school grounds. All suggestions made by him were approved and endorsed by the association.

It was voted to raise enough money to so enlarge the school library that each of the ten rooms may have at least a \$10 library. The treasurer's report showed \$52 in the treasury. There are at present seventy-five members and an annual fee of twenty-five cents is charged each. It was decided to meet on the first Friday of each month at 5 o'clock in the school building.

A first aid kit was ordered bought for the school at the meeting Friday.

Pyramid Drillers Make Progress.

Pyramid drillers are down in the neighborhood of 1,200 feet and progress is satisfactory, according to George I. Hegwood, head driller. No unusual showings have been encountered. The Pyramid hole is about 300 feet south of the Triangle No. 2 location.

Two Giant Home Runs In One Inning.

One of the features of today's world's series game between the New York Giants and the Yankees came when Menezel and Snyder connected for a home run in the second inning. Menezel scored Kelly ahead of him, while Snyder circled the bases alone. Harper gave way to Shawkey as pitcher for the Yanks in this inning after the national leaguers fell upon his offerings and pounded them all over the diamond.

Mrs. Watts To W. C. T. U. Meeting.

Mrs. Rena Watts left Sunday to attend the mid-year meeting of the State W. C. T. U. to be held in Dallas. The convention will meet in the First Methodist Church. A regional conference will meet at the same time in Grace Methodist Church.

MAY BE PRESIDENT'S CHOICE FOR ENVOY TO GERMANY



William Boyce Thompson

William Boyce Thompson, New York City banker, according to reports from Washington, is President Harding's choice for Ambassador in Germany. It is rumored in official Washington that both Mr. David Jayne Hill and Louis Dresser have been eliminated as possible candidates for the post. Mr. Thompson figured prominently in the Republican campaign. He was one of the treasures of the campaign committee organized in behalf of Major-General Leonard Wood and later was a director of the Harding campaign. He is a director in the Federal Reserve Bank in New York City.

IS NEW COMMANDER-IN-CHIEF OF THE GRAND ARMY

Lewis Stephen Pilcher, Department Commander of the State of New York, G. A. R., who was elected Commander-in-Chief of the Grand Army of the Republic at the fifty-fifth National Encampment at Indianapolis, Ind. Mr. Pilcher is a resident of Brooklyn, New York.

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Each year there are many business failures that could have been prevented by applying just a bit of preventative in the form of consultation with the banker. Many good concerns have been put out of business by unjust lawsuits; by the lack of proper business counsel at the right time and by that panic producer—FEAR.

If you are getting in deep water do not hesitate to talk freely to your banker. Nine times out of ten you will be saved a great deal of trouble and embarrassment, and at the same time you will gain the added respect of your banker by your action at not taking chances.

The officers of this bank have had many years experience in varied lines and the sum total of this is available at any time regardless of whether you are a customer of this bank or not.

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Vernon, Texas

The Vernon Record

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Always include cash when mailing read-
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THE AMERICAN PRESS ASSOCIATION

Vernon, Texas, Tuesday, Oct. 11, 1921

WORKS OF AN OPTIMIST.

John Wannamaker, merchant prince
of Philadelphia, is an optimist. In a
recent statement he declares his belief
in the future, and points out that the
Wannamaker stores are expanding.

The Wannamaker stores are credited
with starting the movement for lower
prices more than a year ago—a move-
ment that has brought a big reduction
in the cost of living. It is to be hoped
that their expansion now is not less
propaganda of a business revival than
was their lowering of prices a year ago.

As to the business outlook, Mr.
Wannamaker says:

"I have more faith in America today,
and more expectation of the future
than at any time in my sixty years of
business life. In our stores we are ex-
panding rather than retrenching. I am
asked: 'Why are you putting fine
goods to the fore, such as jewelry and
silver from the Orient, when business
is slow?' My reply is: 'I have faith in
America.'"

"There will be plenty of work for all
if we show our faith. It is a mistake
to hold back, to relax, to wear blue
glasses, to hold money in our pockets;
rather we should make needed im-
provements, build and rebuild, buy and
sell, putting to work our money, energy
and brains, everything we have to make
the country busy and prosperous.

"Instead of curtailing advertising
our stores are enlarging it. Instead of
standing pat, we are making improve-
ments, which gives work to many
mechanics, both day and night. We
mean to be ready for the good times
just ahead."

Fargo News

Fargo, Oct. 8.—(By special corre-
spondence)—A number of the farmers
are up with their cotton picking for a
week or so.

The Fargo gin caught fire last Sun-
day night, but some of the men were
there at work and put the blaze out.
Not much damage was done except the
seed house was pretty badly burned.

H. H. Scherer is in Denton county
on business.

Hal Olive has purchased a new Ford
car.

Grandma Hooser from Clinton, Okla.,
is visiting her son, H. A. Hooser and
family.

Hugh Starnes from Oklaunion and
some of his friends visited his cousin,
Ray McDaniel, and family Sunday
afternoon.

Edith Bryan, the one-year-old daugh-
ter of Mr. and Mrs. Charlie Bryan,
has been quite ill the past week.

Several of the farmers around Fargo
have deals with the black-leg.

Charlie Mason has been on the sick
list this week.

Elmer Owens and wife have moved
to his mother's place near Doans,
where he will farm another year.

Rev. R. V. Tooley, pastor of the
Methodist Church at this place, was
robbed last Sunday of \$14.00 on his
way from Tolbert to Fargo.

Several of the people from this com-
munity attended singing at the Baptist
Church in Vernon Sunday afternoon.

Mrs. F. M. Sweatmon has erected a
new rent house on her farm for her
son, Willie.

Some of the Fargo visitors who were
in Vernon Saturday were: Charlie

and Frank Mason, R. E. Harrell, D. W.
May, W. R. McDaniel.

H. E. Key, Jr., is hauling water for
the Starr, Walls & Starr gin at this
place.

S. B. Starr from Odell was in Fargo
Saturday.

Several of the people around here
are attending the singing school at
the Christian Church.

There will be prayer meeting at the
Methodist Church Wednesday evening.

WHERE IS THE DEAD LINE?

The ministerial dead line of fifty
seems to have vanished. We have
noted the result of an investigation
made among the new pastors of thirty
leading Baptist Churches in this coun-
try. And this was the result:

	1920	1904
Under thirty years of age.....	0	1
Between thirty and forty.....	1	11
Between forty and fifty.....	10	12
Between fifty and sixty.....	17	4
Over sixty.....	2	2

In other words, whereas in 1904
there were pastors under forty in
twelve of the thirty Churches, every
church but one now has a minister who
is over forty, while two-thirds are be-
yond fifty. From these figures the in-
vestigator concludes that "the minis-
ter who is westward of fifty is the man
of the hour. The younger man is look-
ed at askance until he fully proves his
worth and power."

It Started Something

"Your medicine is the talk of the
town since pulling me from the grave.
I have told dozens about it and I know
of at least ten who are now taking
Mayr's Wonderful Remedy, all with
good results. I never saw anything
like it. One man who had been oper-
ated on for gall stones and had them
come back, took it and says his sym-
ptoms are all gone now and he swears
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THE STORY
of New
York should
rightly begin
with 1624,
eighty-five
years before
Henry Hud-

son's voyage in his little boat,
the Half Moon, up the river
which now bears his name. For
at that early date an Italian
navigator, Verrazano, exploring
for France, sailed into New
York bay. This first visit to
New York made little stir and
was soon forgotten, and it was
Hudson's rediscovery which
tempted the Dutch to send over
colonists and obtain for the
Dutch West India company a
monopoly of the Dutch fur trade
in America. The new colony
which was started in 1623 called
its territory New Netherlands,
after its mother country, and
their principal city New Amster-
dam. It is interesting to reflect
that Manhattan Island, which is
now New York city, was pur-
chased from the Indians for \$24
worth of beads and ribbons.
Even in its earliest days the set-
tlement on Manhattan Island
was cosmopolitan. In 1643 it is
reported that eighteen different
languages were spoken there.
In 1664 the English captured
New Netherlands, and King
Charles II presented the colony
to his brother, the duke of York,
who was later King James II,
and its name was then changed
to New York.

New York played a leading
part in the formation of the
United States. It was Alexan-
der Hamilton who was New
York's representative in framing
the Constitution and it was New
York city which was selected as
the first capital of the new
Union, where Washington was
inaugurated the first president.
Ever since the Empire state, as
New York is sometimes called,
has held the deciding voice in
presidential elections. Though
its size is only 49,204 square
miles, not quite half way in the
list of states according to area,
its great population gives New
York forty-five presidential elec-
tors, the largest number of any
of the states.
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IS TEACHING IN UNIVERSITY.

Miss Daisy Jones of Vernon Appointed
Assistant in Business Adminis-
tration At Austin.

Miss Daisy Jones of Vernon is an
assistant in the School of Business Ad-
ministration at the University of
Texas. This appointment was made as
a result of heavy enrollment in that de-
partment of the institution.

Miss Jones is a graduate of the Ver-
non high school. She was a student
last year in the University of Texas,
and was employed as secretary this
summer in the State Department of
Education.

More than 500 students have enroll-
ed for Business Administration in the
University, 400 being in the beginning
class, seventy in the advanced steno-
graphic course, and thirty in the non-
credit course in typewriting. The work
is in charge of Miss Florence Stulken.

Other assistants recently appointed
are Misses Florence Cowdry, Susie Tay-
lor, and Katherine Watts, Robert Til-
lery and Lloyd Martin.

BACK BAD TODAY?

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the remedy recommended by your
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Mrs. A. J. Butcher, N. Bowie St.,
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ney Pills with great results. Not long
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bad shape caused from doing garden-
ing. My back just ached day and night
right across my loins and was so lame
and sore I could hardly bend over.
When I did stoop over such sharp pain
took me in my back and across my
shoulders that I could hardly straight-
en up. I also suffered from dizzy
spells. My kidneys were weak and ir-
regular in action. I saw Doan's Kid-
ney Pills advertised and got a supply.
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Can Pork and Beans.....	10c
Pet Milk, large can.....	16c
Can Blackberries.....	20c
Pound Waco Coffee.....	25c
Can Peaches.....	25c

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and patterns, more
attractive than ever,
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spection.

Come and look them over.

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Vernon, Texas

MILLER SCORES FIRST RUN



Elmer Miller, of the Yankees, scoring the first run of the world series in the first inning at the Polo Grounds, N. Y. Miller opened the inning with a single, went to second on Peck's sacrifice and scored on "Babe" Ruth's timely single.

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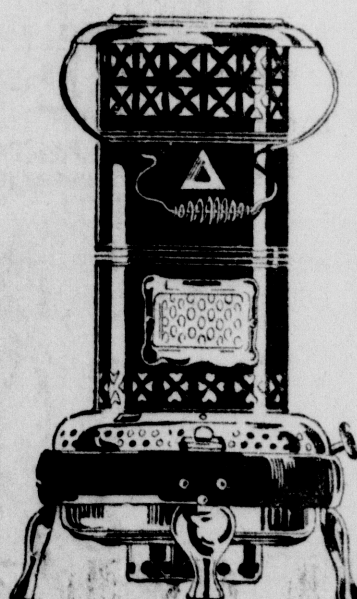
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NEW SCHOOL BUILDING READY.

Structure At Odell Erected At Cost Of \$22,000 Where Old Building Stood.

Odell's new school building is expected to be ready next week for the opening of school. The structure is two stories high of brick construction, and was erected at a cost of \$22,000. Fifteen thousand dollars worth of bonds were voted.

Fire destroyed the school building at Odell last spring.

Trustees of the Odell school are W. P. Starr, P. L. Hart, Earl Becht, A. H. Thrash, A. C. Rogers, W. A. White and M. Crowder. T. E. Pierce is principal. Other teachers are Mrs. T. E. Pierce, Mrs. R. B. Thompson, Miss Elizabeth Blackler, Miss Rosa Heavaty, and Miss Georgia Chapman.

VERNON MEETS CHILDRESS SATURDAY IN FOOTBALL

Coach J. A. Morrow will leave Saturday morning for Childress with his local football team to meet the strong high school aggregation of that city in what will be the third game of the season for Vernon. It has not yet been decided how many men will take the trip. Childress is known to have a husky representation this season, and recently defeated Wellington in a game although suffering defeat early in the season at the hands of Altus.

Morrow is working his men hard for the contest, and expects the team to be in the best of shape. Barring minor injuries, the squad now is in good condition. Strenuous work is the program for the remainder of the week.

India's Caste System.

The caste system of India is the cancer that gnaws at her heart. To the uninformed, it is astounding to know that in that land there are 2,378 principal castes and tribes. These are subdivided so that there are 100,000 caste divisions in India and no two of these can intermarry. Of the 153,000,000 women with civil state, one in six is a widow. They are not allowed to remarry. Of these widows, their average age is 111.573 under ten years of age and 17,703 under five years of age. This is an unthinkable condition existing in one of the oldest civilizations of the earth.

To Honor Soldier Dead.

With the entire nation paused at noon in two minutes of silent prayer, American Legion services men of the world war from State and territory will do homage to the unknown American soldier at Arlington national cemetery on Armistice Day. Medal of Honor men also have been designated by the government as official mourners. Honorary pallbearers will be eight generals of the army and four admirals of the navy, with non-commissioned and petty officers as body bearers. President Harding will deliver the funeral oration.

Ronda Wants New School.

D. Melton, Albert Stone, and W. W. Welch, school trustees of Ronda, were in Vernon Saturday to request County Superintendent of Schools Hollar to get bids on a new school house for their district. It is proposed constructing a two room building.

FREAK OF THE STORM THAT IS STILL STANDING



This telegraph pole on the Lincoln-Westbury Road near Mincola, Long Island, was the target of a bolt of lightning in a severe storm. The center part of the pole is shattered, while the upper and lower parts retain their natural appearances. The weird part of the story is that the pole is still standing, and here it is.

CHAMPION OF 3 COUNTRIES AFTER AMERICAN CROWN



Miss Cecil Leitch, British, French and Canadian woman golf champion photographed on the course of the Hollywood Country Club at Deal, N. J., where she will play in the American title tournament. Miss Leitch, who is undoubtedly the best woman golfer in the world today, is picked by the experts to annex the American title. She has defeated Miss Alexa Stirling, the defending champion, three times this year.

SIX TEACHERS SUCCESSFULLY PASS STATE EXAMINATIONS

Six teachers passed the State examination conducted here Friday and Saturday of last week. Certificates were awarded as follows:

Miss Cordelia Chaffin, Vernon, first grade; Miss Lessie D. Williams, Odell, second grade Mrs. Fannie Swinney, Gasoline, second grade; W. J. Swinney, Gasoline, second grade; A. G. Johnson, Odell, second grade; Miss Faye Cook, Tolbert, second grade.

Odell School Opens Monday.

T. E. Pierce, principal at Odell school, was in Vernon yesterday. The session at that place will in all probability commence next Monday. Mr. Pierce said, and the enrollment is expected to be from 175 to 200 students. A new school building has just been completed at Odell.

C. C. White, a school teacher from Oklaunion, was in Vernon Saturday.

MRS. HUGGINS HONORS HIGH SCHOOL TEACHERS

Mrs. W. H. Huggins was hostess Tuesday evening to local high school teachers at her studio on West Paradise street. Her pupils delighted the guests with a music recital, after which 42 was enjoyed.

The following program was presented: Song "Fickle Little Butterfly"; "Band Patrol" from "Ruins of Athens," Beethoven, Louise Baird; "Robins Return," Fischer, Hazel McDroy; "Melody of Love," Engleman, Frances Shaffer "La Peadora," D. Costa, Christine Gregory; "Dance in The Grove by Hyatt," Ada Latham; Duo "Military March," Engleman, Frances Collins and Mrs. Huggins; Song "Little Buttercup," from H. M. S. Pinafore Opera, Hazel Vaughn "Balley Dance," Hyatt, Marie Yarbrough; "Minuet," Paderewski, Kathleen Batchelor; reading, Hazel Vaughn; "Moonlight on the Hudson," G. D. Wilson, Ruth Walker; "March Triumphant," A.

Gloria, Louise Baird at first piano and Mrs. Huggins at second piano.

The guests were: Mr. and Mrs. E. L. Dohoney, Mr. and Mrs. J. N. Fulcher, Mr. and Mrs. Knox Kibard, Misses Dora Flack, Frances Oliver, Sallie Fellman, Anna Joe Pendleton, and J. A. Morrow of the high school; Mr. and Mrs. L. G. Hawkins, Mr. and Mrs. E. F. Hicks, Mr. and Mrs. J. V. Townsend, Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Birdsong, Mr. and Mrs. B. O. Brown, and Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Huggins.

Delicious refreshments were served.

Crowell Bureau Cotton Burns.

Eighty-eight bales of farm bureau cotton burned last week at Crowell, according to a report reaching Vernon. Insurance, it is said, was paid in four days at the rate of the current market price.

To Have Box Supper.

The Tolbert Woman's Club will hold a box supper in the school house Friday night. The proceeds will go to the school. Every one is invited to be present and all the women are requested to bring boxes.

L. W. Bellenger of Newcastle spent the week-end in Vernon.

Mr. and Mrs. Robert Boyle returned Saturday evening from Wichita Falls, where they attended meetings of the Amarillo Presbytery and the Synod of Texas.

E. F. Waggoner of Bugskuffe was in Vernon Monday.

Prof. J. M. Horn of Tolbert was in Vernon Saturday.

Miss Lucy Neal of Wichita Falls has been visiting Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Vernon. Miss Neal taught school in Vernon last year and has many friends here.

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FARM BUREAU TO MAKE \$40 INITIAL ADVANCE ON COTTON

Ruling Advances \$15 over Former Arrangement—Announcement Gratifying To Farmers and Merchants Alike—Will Also Class Crop Locally—Bureau Agent To Assist.

Farm bureau members in Wilbarger county will receive \$40 a bale advance on their cotton in place of \$25, according to a telegram received Friday by the county agent. The new ruling is one which is most gratifying to farmers and townspeople, as it furnishes the grower with more funds when he needs them most, right at the start.

As soon as the cotton is sent to Dallas and a middling basis grade determined for it, \$10 more will be forthcoming as an advance. Under the former system after the \$25 advance was made, the second amount was also \$25.

Bankers Well Pleased.

Local bankers also expressed themselves as well pleased, according to the county agent. The new ruling permits cotton growers to receive the most consequential sum when it can be used to the best advantage in meeting debts, and making long deferred purchases.

Arrangements have been made here for a local classing of cotton when it is brought in. Bill Bowman, who has been receiving cotton for the bureau at the warehouses, will now also grade it. This is for the purpose of making the initial advance to farmers.

Bureau Agent Coming.

A farm bureau agent is expected in Vernon Friday morning to work out permanent details concerning the \$40 advance to growers. He will stay here until the situation is entirely cleared up.

RICHARDS FAVORS BOND ISSUE.

Fargo Resident Believes Project Offers Fairest Settlement Of Every-one's Interest.

T. H. Richards of Fargo favors the proposed bond issue for Wilbarger county because he is of the opinion that it provides the most equitable means of solving the good roads problem.

"Paving one highway won't help so many folks," Mr. Richardson says, "and I know it will not be of much use to me. Where we have paved roads stretching in every direction, and some money spent on the dirt roads so we can get to the pavement, it is going to benefit a world more people than the other way."

Thinks Majority Favor Issue.

Eighty per cent of those tax payers in the northeastern portion of the county and in the neighborhoods of Fargo, Tolbert, and in the territory between Oklahoma and Vernon favor the road bond issue, in the estimation of William Blackwood, who is working as one of the good roads committee. Sentiment generally is considerably stronger than is estimated, Mr. Blackwood thinks.

Seniors Win At Football.

High school seniors trounced juniors in a football game 28 to 0 Friday afternoon at the fairgrounds in a one sided contest. A majority of senior players were members of the school's first team, and were able to gain practically all through their opponents. Small Bramblett and Coltzner starred in the backfield for the victors.

Says Country Needs Rain.

"I'd like to see some rain mighty well," ventured a farmer living southwest of town in discussing crop conditions. "I'm about through with wheat drilling and the ground needs moisture badly. The way it is now a person scarcely knows what to do. It is too late to prepare the ground over and all there is to do is to wait. Rain last Friday barely touched us. I believe the heaviest part must have been toward the east."

Schools File For State Aid.

About twenty-six county schools have applications for state aid on file, according to L. A. Hollar, superintendent. Mr. Hollar hopes to have most of those remaining unfilled in by the middle of the week.

PRETTIEST BABY BLONDES IN ENGLAND



A photographic study of the two pretty daughters of Candler Cobb, who has been appointed American Commercial Attache in London. The children, both blondes, have been described as the most beautiful blonde children in England. Mr. Cobb has studied and practiced law in New York City and was Assistant United States Attorney in New York during the war, specializing on restrictions of foreign trade and fraudulent passports. He is a graduate of Harvard University and also attended Oxford University.

COTTON TAKES SHARP DECLINE TO HEAR WITNESSES

LOCAL MARKET SHOWS DROP OF FIFTEEN POINTS AT OPENING

Cotton quotations took a sharp decline yesterday and the spot price paid on the street here was in the neighborhood of nineteen cents a pound. The market Saturday took a slight drop toward closing, but on the whole was about the same as that of the previous three or four days.

Today's opening showed Liverpool down about fifty American points, which was considerably in excess of what had been anticipated. Cotton for December was down eleven points at first call, and nine at the second. January quotations were down seventeen points. The local market was down about fifteen points over yesterday. All markets showed a sharp decline yesterday. Seed in Vernon today is \$30 a ton.

Spinners Influence Market.

A communication to E. P. Hicks from H. and B. Beer Co., a well-established cotton buying firm, gives interesting data on the outlook. Following is in part the substance of the letter:

"In an effort to influence markets to a lower level, spinners refrained from buying of spots to any extent in the South during the past week, resulting in smaller sales, capital of which was made to depress values. The reason sales were smaller was that the interior refused to sell freely at the decline, as advices from the country are to effect that the demand was in excess of offerings, the interior standing 'pat' in its determination to obtain a fair price for this year's very small yield."

Until of late there was a ravenous demand for the staple, which will be reflected soon in exporters' and spinners' takings assuming larger proportions in the future, and they are running well ahead of last season and season before last already. Weekly take reviews report steady progress being made in the recovery of business to a normal plane, and the more reasonable weather prevailing, the country having been visited with the season's first touch of winter, will help trade all the more, especially in textiles, which are ruling firm and in good request, with the tendency to higher price levels still.

Ginnings May Decrease.

Ginnings in the future will likely be

ATTORNEY-GENERAL TO HEAR WITNESSES

C. M. CURETON ARRIVES FOR INVESTIGATION OF RED RIVER DISPUTE.

C. M. Cureton, State attorney-general, was expected in Vernon at 2 o'clock this afternoon to begin his work here in connection with the Red river boundary dispute between Texas and Oklahoma. This afternoon, according to a message given over the long distance phone, he expected to go to Doans settlement and territory north of Vernon for the purpose of making investigations.

A hearing of witnesses will be conducted at the court house beginning at 9 o'clock tomorrow morning. All those wanted for this purpose have been notified to appear.

Serious efforts are being made at this time to collect all possible evidence to be used in the suit. Much of this work is being done by Mr. Cureton personally.

CHRISTIAN CHURCH MEETINGS CONDUCTED TWICE DAILY

Services are being conducted twice daily at the Central Christian Church under the leadership of Rev. Charles Chastee. They are being held at 10 a. m. and 7:30 p. m., and commenced Sunday. Rev. Gus Ramage, local pastor, is leading the singing. Attendance thus far has been very good. The meeting is expected to last about two weeks.

Last night the visiting minister preached on the "Feeding of the Five Thousand." His sermons this morning and yesterday morning dealt with the "Sermon on the Mount."

Hill Crest Members Enjoy Dance.

Hill Crest Club members enjoyed an informal dance Saturday night. A cheese fire for the first time in the dining room grate added to the pleasantness of the occasion. Local music was furnished.

Arrest Man Wanted In Wichita.

John Simmons, wanted by police of Wichita Falls, was taken last night by the sheriff's force. He is being held pending the arrival of Wichita officers.

To Have Dance Thursday.

The Entertainment Committee of Hill Crest Country Club announces a dance for Thursday night, at 8:30 o'clock.

ELLIOTT WANTS PAVEMENT FROM LINE TO LINE

Sentiment At Meeting Last Night Thought to Indicate Stand Of East Part of County—Would Not Object To "Mile Or Two In Other Directions"—Other Parts of County Favor.

Sentiment at Elliott was found strongly opposed to the proposed \$600,000 road bond issue for Wilbarger county by a committee of four advocates who last night conducted a meeting over the Frank Steinman store. About fifty persons were present, and Dr. J. C. King of Harrold presided. Those on the committee were County Judge E. L. McHugh, Commissioner A. M. Bonland, Lon Byars, and Cy Long.

Details of the proposed issue were carefully explained by Judge McHugh but the proposition was without favor from the Elliott voters. When asked concerning their wishes for a bond issue, it was pointed out that the most acceptable proposition to the community would be a paved highway stretching from the eastern county line to the western. In the event that those in the northern and southern parts of the county felt they were not receiving sufficient benefit from such a project, those at the meeting stated, there would be no objection to providing them with a mile or two of pavement in their respective directions.

Believes Stand Will Aid.

In commenting upon this view of the proposition, one member of the committee stated that such a stand would clearly sway those in the other parts of the county who are opposed to the present proposed issue to the opposite side when they realize that one section of Wilbarger is advocating the construction of thirty miles of pavement for its benefit, and only one or two for those who will not enjoy the use of the main highway. Furthermore, under the Elliott plan, the project would cost at least twice as much with an attendant less benefit to the majority of taxpayers.

Sentiment at Elliott appeared unfavorable to any considerable expenditure of money on the dirt roads of the county, one of the committee stated.

W. B. Covert, who owns considerable land in Wilbarger county, is heartily in favor of the issue. In talking over the proposition with members of the good roads committee he indicated that he would be glad to ask his tenants to vote for the project.

T. F. Davis of Rayland, thinks sentiment in his part of the county unanimous in favor of the bond issue. Mr. Davis has been doing farm bureau evangelistic work in his community as well as over this section, and has been in a position to thoroughly test public opinion.

Glad To Assist.

Andy Dicus of Tolbert gladly acceded to the request that he circulate a list in his community for good roads converts to sign. Mr. Dicus reported yesterday that thus far he has found only two opponents of the issue in the town where he lives.

"I was formerly against all bond issues," said Mr. Dicus in commenting on the proposed Wilbarger project, "but I am heart and soul in favor of this one."

"I recently returned from a visit with my brother in Grayson county where the section is noted for good roads. Those who have never enjoyed travel over stretches like those cannot realize their real benefit. Why, I didn't have to hit the ground once and went all over the county."

Brother Converted.

"When the issue first came up down there, my brother was against it. Since the roads have been completed, he has been a staunch advocate of well-kept highways, and says if there is anyone in his county who does not have a good road, he is willing to vote more bonds to provide them with the same."

"The only trouble that I meet with up here is that everyone I run across is out on the same mission I am—getting folks to sign up."

In commenting upon the sentiment at Tolbert, a member of the good roads committee made the statement that if every community supported the good roads project for Wilbarger in the same manner, there would exist no doubt but that the issue would carry overwhelmingly.

Lockett Favors Project.

J. E. Lockett of Lockett says his com-

SOUTHERN BEAUTY CHOSEN SPONSOR



Miss Elizabeth Atkins.

Miss Elizabeth Atkins, of Chattanooga, Tennessee, is one of the Southern beauties who will grace the reunion of the United Confederate Veterans to be held at Chattanooga from October 25 to 27. Miss Atkins is sponsor for the Chattanooga Corps, Forrest's Cavalry.

MISS MCCROSKEY WEDS L. G. WITHERS

WEDDING OCCURS AT BRIDE'S HOME LAST SUNDAY AFTERNOON.

Miss Lena McCroskey, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. D. D. McCroskey of this city, was married at 2:30 Sunday afternoon at the bride's home to L. G. Withers. Only immediate relatives of Miss McCroskey were present. Rev. W. T. Rouse performed the ceremony.

The bride was born near Chillicothe and has lived in Vernon fourteen years, receiving the majority of her education here. She graduated from the local high school in 1920. Of late she has been employed in the office of the district clerk. Mr. and Mrs. Withers are well-known here and have many friends locally.

Withers Here Many Years.

Mr. Withers has lived here many years, and until recently was employed at the Conger Sheet Metal Co. Within the last week he has opened a fish and oyster market on North Cumberland street. The young couple will make their home on East Wilbarger street.

Community is for the bond issue. Sentiment is favorable, he said, not because Lockett will get any of the pavement, but citizens there have seen the work county commissioners have accomplished with a limited amount of money and machinery. Those in the Lockett community are desirous of seeing all roads fixed as some have been, Mr. Lockett said, and sentiment favors furnishing commissioners with money to keep the roads in shape after they have been constructed.

I. G. Luttrell of Harrold, county commissioner, is of the opinion that sentiment in his community is not as unfavorable as is generally imagined. Sanction of the project, he says, is gradually asserting itself, and there will probably be heavy support when election time arrives.

Is Daughter of Earnest Hempel.

It was erroneously stated in Friday's Record that Miss Martha Hempel, who was married to Henry Janen here last Thursday morning, is the daughter of Earnest Hempel who lives about ten miles southwest of Vernon on the Stett farm.

Dance Honoring Peyton Phillips.

An informal dance will be held this evening at the home of Miss Beulah Ladd on East Wilbarger street in honor of Peyton Phillips, who with his family, will move to Tampa, Florida, the end of the week.

WILBARGER COTTON PICKING TOTAL IS 12,445 BALES

Consensus Of Opinion Indicates That Three-fourths of County Crop Is Gathered—Figures Indicate That Final Yield May Be Surprising—Remainder Of Crop From Sandy Land.

Statistics collected from every cotton gin operating in Wilbarger county indicate that this morning there had been ginned thus far this season 12,445 bales. This figure is considerably higher than has been generally estimated by a majority of those interested in this year's crop. Many were of the opinion that the entire season's receipts would be in the neighborhood of 12,000 bales.

Gin operators and farmers congregated at the various gins were of the opinion this morning that practically three-fourths of the county crop has been gathered. No estimate placed the amount below seventy per cent. Receipts at the local cotton yard thus far are 7,350 bales, and according to the manager, he has weighed as many so far as were received by Christmas last year. Average daily receipts at the yard are 300 bales.

1,000 Bales At Warehouse.

Close to 1,000 bales have been brought to the local warehouse, Lon Byars said this morning. Mr. Byars is of the opinion that most of the cotton remaining to be gathered will be from sandy country. Some parts of the county have finished picking, he said, especially in the neighborhood of Elliott.

One farmer expressed the belief this morning that with a continuance of fair weather almost all of the cotton will be out of the fields in another ten days. He lives in the northeastern portion of the county, and is of the opinion that fully three-fourths of the crop in that section has been gathered. Over 1,000 bales of farm bureau cotton have been received at the compress.

Following are the gins operating in the county, and the amount of cotton handled by each. Their ginnings are based on the amount handled from Wilbarger alone.

Ginning Records.

Fargo 1,100 bales; Tolbert 200 bales; Lockett 1,144 bales; Rayland 830 bales; Oklahoma 768 bales; Odell 691 bales and 600 bales; Elliott 420 bales; Thalia 220 bales; Vernon Gin 1,180 bales; Peoples 2,015 bales; Farmers 1,364 bales; Planters 1,903 bales.

At Lockett it was reported that the west end of the community is not yet half through gathering, but the immediate vicinity has passed the fifty per cent mark. All of the gins are ahead of their records at this time last year.

Cotton is coming in a steady stream, and the averages of each Vernon gin are from 60 to 70 bales a day. At the Vernon Gin it was reported that the entire season's run last year, two months, yielded 368 bales while one month so far has exceeded that figure by more than 200.

TO ATTEND CONVENTION

A Number of Men and Women Will Go From Here to Confederate Reunion, It Is Expected.

The annual reunion of the Confederate Veterans will be held at Chattanooga, Tenn., on October 24 to 27 and it is expected that a number of men and women from this county will attend. Those who wish to attend the convention and take advantage of the low rates offered by the railroads may get their certificates from one of the following people: J. A. Creager, W. C. Landy, J. M. Loftis, Mrs. J. E. Collins, or Mrs. J. P. Hamilton.

The fare is one cent a mile each way. The tickets are good from October 22 to November 17, with the usual stopover privileges.

The local camp Cabel No. 123 will meet at 2 o'clock next Saturday afternoon at the court house when the final arrangement for going will be made.

Return After Filing Land Claim.

Pat Robinson and Frank Byrd returned last week from Taos county, New Mexico, where each has filed a claim on a section of government land. Mr. and Mrs. Robinson and Mr. and Mrs. Byrd expect to leave early in the spring to live on their holdings for the required seven months period.

MORE'S THEATRE PROGRAM

(De Luxe Program—Continuous Performances.)

Now Playing To-day—Tuesday
THOMAS MEIGAN in "WHITE AND UNMARRIED"
 (The romance of a dashing "yunker" bachelor who started out to do Paris, and did.)

Kineto Review—Gold of Tex. and Comedy
 Wednesday—**EDITH ROBERTS**
 as "The Little White Tigeress" in
"THUNDER ISLAND"
 2 Reel Sunshine Comedy—
"SHERIFF NELL'S COME-BACK"

Thursday—**ALICE LAKE** in "UNCHARTERED SEAS"
 (Romance of unusual love under the flashing Northern Lights, Vandy Comedy.)

"MIXED BED-ROOMS"
 Coming Friday—David Powell in "Appearances"—Oct. 18 and 19—"The Four Horsemen of the Apocalypse"

GO TO THEATRE

At the Pictorium.

Today—Gail Kane in "Idle Hands."
 Majorie Travers, a small town girl, thought a stage career awaited her in the metropolis, whither she stole in company with a youth who assured her he could fulfill her desire—a desire born of idleness. Back home a mother and sister waited anxiously for news of the truant. Finally a letter came hinting that she was an unwilling captive behind portals from which there seemed to be no escape. The new proved too much for the mother; and the sister started out in search of her poor foolish little Mariotte. She finds her, at last, in the "Golden Dragon," in Chinatown; and with the aid of the mayor who falls in love with her, she rescues her.

Wednesday—Neal Hart in "Kingfisher's Roost."

No money could buy any information about "Kingfisher." No man knew whence he came nor where he went. No one had ever been found who could even describe his appearance; and yet he was the most notorious outlaw along the Mexican border. His mystery is solved in this picture.

Thursday—Elaine Hammerstein in "Remorseless Love."

The story has for a background the picturesque Kentucky mountains and tells a tale of the simple mountain folk whose main concern seems to be the upholding of the family tradition of incessant warfare against their neighbors. The star plays the part of a girl in whose veins runs blood of both factions, and to settle these family differences the girl devotes herself and well-guided efforts.

At More's Theater.

Today—Thomas Meigan in "White and Unmarried."

A crook inherits a fortune and departs for Europe. On the boat he meets Dorothea, a girl with whose photograph he has fallen in love. Arrived in Paris he takes her to see the "other side" of the city. In a cafe Dorothea becomes infatuated with Marcel, a French rogue, and Billy becomes interested in Andree, a little dancer, thereby arousing the jealousy of Chico. The latter kidnaps Andree, and it is only after a sensational gun fight that she is captured by the man who is in love with her—the American crook.

Wednesday—Edith Roberts in "Thunder Island."

Isola Garcia, a beautiful Latin-American girl, is rescued from sheep bandits by Paul Corbin and her gratitude ripens into love. She learns that

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Bring on your mere men steeplejacks: Miss Louise Higgins, daring New York girl, is ready to duplicate all their stunts and then go them one better. Miss Higgins was all set to hang by her toes from the roof of a New York skyscraper when officials of the building interfered and chased her down to terra firma. The higher the building the better she can work, says the venturesome young woman.

she is a married woman. Mendoza, an aged ranch owner to whom she has been married on his deathbed so that he could dispose of his property in certain ways, sends word to her that he has recovered and that she must come to him. His agent starts with her, but the old rancher really dies and she is finally free to marry Corbin.

Friday—Alice Lake in "Uncharted Seas."

She had forgiven him so many times that her pleasure-loving husband thought his long-suffering wife would stand for anything. But in his selfish carousals he tried it, with the result that under the pale glow of northern lights a tangled romance is unfolded in a manner to make the onlooker hold his breath.

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PARENT-TEACHERS MEET

Shive School Organization Starts Work
 Of Year Last Friday—
 Elects Officers.

The first meeting of the year of the Parent Teachers Association of Shive School was held last Friday afternoon at the school building. Mrs. Joe Napier was re-elected president, and Mrs. A. C. Rayzor was chosen again as vice-president. Other officers elected were: Miss Pauline Davenport, secretary; Mrs. L. E. Flyer, treasurer; and Mrs. John D. R. Cooper, press reporter.

After having made a report of the work done by the organization last year, the president appointed the following committees: Membership, Mrs. W. N. Stokes, Mrs. C. M. Farrell, Mrs. Myrtle Napier, Miss Alice Smith, Miss Shellah Porter and Miss Ava Hunter; Year Book, Mrs. C. J. Farrel and Mrs. Eunice Wilson; Finance, Mrs. Roper, Sewall, Mrs. L. K. Johnson, Mrs. B. D. Hamblen, Mrs. D. H. Henry and Mrs. Earnest Cobe.

E. L. Doherty, superintendent of the city schools, made a talk and pointed out the following things: (1) Education of the grammar schools; (2) building of the Elson Art Gallery in January; (3) the possibility of a school parent on November 19, the one hundredth anniversary of the first Anglo-Saxon settlement in Texas; and the beautifying of the school grounds. All suggestions made by him were approved and endorsed by the association.

It was voted to raise enough money to so enlarge the school library that each of the ten rooms may have at least a \$10 library. The treasurer's report showed \$52 in the treasury. There are at present seventy-five members and an annual fee of twenty-five cents is charged each. It was decided to meet on the first Friday of each month at 7 o'clock in the school building.

A first aid kit was ordered bought for the school at the meeting Friday.

Pyramid Drillers Make Progress.

Pyramid drillers are down in the neighborhood of 1,200 feet and progress is satisfactory, according to George I. Hegwood, head driller. No unusual showings have been encountered. The Pyramid hole is about 300 feet south of the Triangle No. 2 location.

Two Giant Home Runs in One inning.

One of the features of today's world's series game between the New York Giants and the Yankees came when Munsel and Snyder connected for a home run in the second inning. Munsel scored Kelly ahead of him, while Snyder circled the bases alone. Harper gave way to Shawkey as pitcher for the Yanks in this inning after the national leaguers fell upon his offerings and pounded them all over the diamond.

Mrs. Watts To W. C. T. U. Meeting.

Mrs. Rena Watts left Sunday to attend the mid-year meeting of the State W. C. T. U. to be held in Dallas. The convention will meet in the First Methodist Church. A regional conference will meet at the same time in Grace Methodist Church.

MAY BE PRESIDENT'S CHOICE FOR ENVOY TO GERMANY



William B. Thompson.

William Bruce Thompson, New York City banker, according to reports from Washington, is President Harding's choice for Ambassador to Germany. It is rumored in official Washington that Theodore D. Davis gave the bill and loving dress on have been eliminated as possible candidates for the post. Mr. Thompson figured prominently in the Republican campaign. He was one of the treasurers of the campaign committee organized in behalf of Major General Leonard Wood and later was a director of the Harding campaign. He is a director in the Federal Reserve Bank in New York City.

IS NEW COMMANDER-IN-CHIEF OF THE GRAND ARMY

Lewis Stephen Pilcher, Department Commander of the State of New York, G. A. R., who was elected Commander-in-Chief of the Grand Army of the Republic at the fifth National Encampment, at Indianapolis, Ind. Mr. Pilcher is a resident of Brooklyn, New York.

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 Comedy—CHAS. CHAPLIN in "BY THE SEA"

THURSDAY
Elaine Hammerstein
 in—
"REMORSELESS LOVE"
 A Story of the Mountains Where
 Loves and Hates Are Strong
BUD DUNCAN—Comedy
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Vernon, Texas

VERNON PASTOR IS SENT TO AMARILLO METHODIST CHURCH

Rev. S. W. Hayne Is Second Man to Go From Local Congregation to Panhandle Metropolis in Three Years—Rev. C. A. Waterfield of Jackson, Tenn., Assigned to Vernon.

For the second time in three years the First Methodist Church of Vernon loses its pastor to Amarillo. Rev. Henry P. Brooks was transferred to Amarillo two years ago, after having served the local church one year following a transfer from the Central Texas Conference.

Last year Rev. S. W. Hayne was transferred to Vernon from Hannibal, Mo. He was read out Sunday night for Polk Street, Amarillo, when Bishop McMurray's appointments for 1921-22 were given to the Annual Conference. C. A. Waterfield, a transfer from Jackson, Tenn., was assigned to the Vernon Church.

Members of the local church were amazed that Vernon Methodists were given a new pastor this year, and their surprise has no relation to the merits of the new preacher. For three years now a new preacher has come each fall, and the leaders insist that it is impossible for a man to get hold of a congregation of nearly 900 members in one year.

Rev. Brooks To Shreveport.

Mr. and Mrs. Hayne had taken hold of the work, and it seemed that the local church was to have great growth. Presiding Elder W. P. Garvin felt sure when he went to Annual Conference that there would be no change in the church at Vernon. The official board of the church adopted a set of resolutions asking Mr. Hayne's return, and fully expected that he would be pastor of the local congregation another year.

Rev. Henry P. Brooks, pastor at Amarillo, was transferred and it is understood will be stationed at Shreveport, La. He went from Vernon to Amarillo two years ago.

Following is an official list of appointments for the Vernon District:

Vernon District—Presiding Elder, W. P. Garvin; Elders, M. Phelan; Children, circuit, D. E. Offet; supply, Chillicothe, I. N. Lipscomb; Crowell, W. M. Murrell; Crowell circuit to be supplied; Dumont circuit, E. D. Lambrecht; Estelline, W. B. Hicks; Kirkland and Goodlett, E. A. Thorp; Kings Memorial, E. L. Yeates; Marguerite Circuit, L. B. Hankins; Odell Circuit, A. O. Graden; Paducah, C. E. Ficht; Paducah Circuit, J. Fred Cooke; Quanah Station, A. W. Weddell; Quanah Circuit, T. H. Davis; supply, Tell Circuit, J. M. Conklin; Tolbert Circuit, R. V. Tooley; Vernon Station, C. A. Waterfield; Vernon Circuit, F. T. Johnson; Student S. M. U. J. W. McCrary, Jr.

Mrs. Edward P. Alexander of Quanah spent Saturday and Sunday with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. G. McDonald, in Vernon.

A. M. Works returned Saturday morning from Amarillo, where he attended the Northwest Texas Annual Conference of the Methodist Episcopal Church, South.

HERE ARE SOME HATS LATEST FROM PARIS



Paris is again setting the pace in the Fall headwear for milady. The creation on top is the newest style from Paris. It is made of purple velvet, fashioned after the Russian and trimmed with graduated colored grapes around the front. Below is a black velvet and jet beaded chapeau which bids fair to prove popular with the elite this Fall.

GENERAL DIAZ OF ITALY IS COMING TO AMERICA



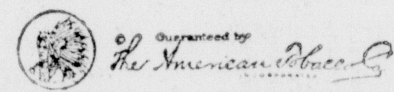
General Diaz, 1914

General Diaz, Commander-in-Chief of the Italian Army, will leave Naples shortly for New York, where he will preside at a convention of former Italian soldiers.



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Medley Fox-Trot Ted Lewis and
His Orchestra
Second Hand Rose
Medley Fox-Trot Ted Lewis and
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Paul Biese's Orch. Acc. Marion
Harris
Sweet Cookie
Marion Harris
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I Ain't Nobody's Darling
Song Fox-Trot
Paul Biese Trio and Crumit
Frankie and Johnny
Song Fox-Trot
Paul Biese Trio and Frank Crumit
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Interesting Values In Our Ready-to-Wear This Week

These New Coat Suits Are Finding a Hearty Welcome

You should hear the expression of delight coming from the women of this community when they see these new suits, try them on and then learn of the low prices. Its such a pleasure to sell merchandise when the prices are lower than the people are expecting. You'll say you didn't expect to find such low prices on such good suits as we are showing at—

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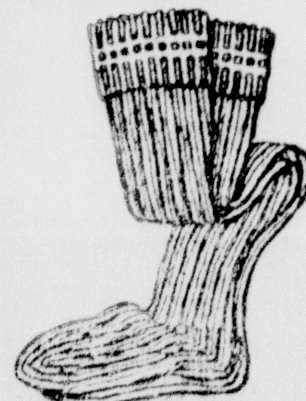
These New Dresses Are The Prettiest We've Shown

Such youthful styles so beautifully made and of such attractive, serviceable, becoming materials—Every woman will be interested in seeing these new ones at—

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WOOLEN SOX FOR BOYS AND GIRLS

Just the thing for these cool days. They are made 3-4 length, come in all the new heather mixtures and will be a delight to boys and girls, 4 to 10 years old. They're made by Phoenix, so you know the quality. Size 7 to 9 1-2. All one price 75c



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Every new coat is a reason—Never have Fall Coats had a stronger appeal, so graceful of line, so rich in fabrics and colorings. So adorable, most of them in the snuggling collars that are so becoming to every face. Then so many of the new coats have that WRAPPY effect that makes each one seem as though it was made just for the woman who wears it. You'll enjoy looking at the new ones, this week at—

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 sertion; 3c a word for two insertions.
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 Always include cash when mailing read-
 ing notices.
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 column inch; all other, 45c.

Foreign Advertising Representative
 THE AMERICAN PRESS ASSOCIATION

Vernon, Texas, Tuesday, Oct. 11, 1921

WORKS OF AN OPTIMIST.

John Wannamaker, merchant prince
 of Philadelphia, is an optimist. In a
 recent statement he declares his belief
 in the future, and points out that the
 Wannamaker stores are expanding.

The Wannamaker stores are credited
 with starting the movement for lower
 prices more than a year ago—a move-
 ment that has brought a big reduction
 in the cost of living. It is to be hoped
 that their expansion now is not less
 prophetic of a business revival than
 was their lowering of prices a year ago.

As to the business outlook, Mr.
 Wannamaker says:

"I have more faith in America today
 and more expectation of the future
 than at any time in my sixty years in
 business life. In our stores we are ex-
 panding rather than retrenching. I am
 asked: 'Why are you putting fine
 goods to the fore, such as jewelry and
 silver from the Orient, when business
 is slow?' My reply is: 'I have faith in
 America.'"

"There will be plenty of work for all
 if we show our faith. It is a mistake
 to hold back, to relax, to wear blue
 glasses, to hold money in our pockets;
 rather we should make needed im-
 provements, build and rebuild, buy and
 sell, putting to work our money, energy
 and brains, everything we have to make
 the country busy and prosperous.

"Instead of curtailing advertising
 our stores are enlarging it. Instead of
 standing pat, we are making improve-
 ments, which gives work to many
 mechanics, both day and night. We
 mean to be ready for the good times
 just ahead."

Fargo News

Fargo, Oct. 8.—(By special cor-
 respondence)—A number of the farmers
 are up with their cotton picking for a
 week or so.

The Fargo gin caught fire last Sun-
 day night, but some of the men were
 there at work and put the blaze out.
 Not much damage was done except the
 seed house was pretty badly burned.

H. H. Scherer is in Denton county
 on business.

Hal Olive has purchased a new Ford
 car.

Grandma Hooser from Clinton, Okla.,
 is visiting her son, H. A. Hooser and
 family.

Hugh Starnes from Oklahoma and
 some of his friends visited his cousin,
 Ray McDaniel, and family Sunday
 afternoon.

Edith Bryan, the one-year-old daugh-
 ter of Mr. and Mrs. Charlie Bryan,
 has been quite ill the past week.

Several of the farmers around Fargo
 have calves with the black-leg.

Charlie Mason has been on the sick
 list this week.

Elmer Owens and wife have moved
 to his mother's place near Doans,
 where he will farm another year.

Rev. R. V. Tooley, pastor of the
 Methodist Church at this place, was
 robbed last Sunday of \$14.00 on his
 way from Tolbert to Fargo.

Several of the people from this com-
 munity attended singing at the Baptist
 Church in Fargo Sunday afternoon.

Mrs. M. M. Swenson has erected a
 new rent house on her farm just west
 of son, Willie.

Some of the Fargo visitors who were
 in Vernon Saturday were: Charlie

and Frank Mason, R. E. Harrell, D. W.
 May, W. R. McDaniel.

H. E. Key, Jr., is hauling water for
 the Starr, Walls & Starr gin at this
 place.

S. B. Starr from Odell was in Fargo
 Saturday.

Several of the people around here
 are attending the singing school at
 the Christian Church.

There will be prayer meeting at the
 Methodist Church Wednesday evening.

WHERE IS THE DEAD LINE?

The ministerial dead line of fifty
 seems to have vanished. We have
 noted the result of an investigation
 made among the new pastors of thirty
 leading Baptist Churches in this coun-
 try. And this was the result:

	1920	1904
Under thirty years of age.....	0	1
Between thirty and forty.....	1	11
Between forty and fifty.....	10	12
Between fifty and sixty.....	17	4
Over sixty.....	2	2

In other words, whereas in 1904
 there were pastors under forty in
 twelve of the thirty Churches, every
 church but one now has a minister who
 is over forty, while two-thirds are be-
 yond fifty. From these figures the in-
 vestigator concludes that "the minis-
 ter who is westward of fifty is the man
 of the hour. The younger man is look-
 ed at askance until he fully proves his
 worth and power."

It Started Something

"Your medicine is the talk of the
 town since pulling me from the grave.
 I have told dozens about it and I know
 of at least ten who are now taking
 May's Wonderful Remedy, all with
 good results. I never saw anything
 like it. One man who had been oper-
 ated on for gall stones and had them
 come back, took it and says his symp-
 toms are all gone now and he swears
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Sold in Vernon by Ferguson Drug
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The Story of
Our States

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 XI.—NEW YORK



THE STORY of New York should
 rightly begin with 1624, eighty-five
 years before Henry Hud-
 son's voyage in his little boat,
 the Half Moon, up the river
 which now bears his name. For
 at that early date an Italian
 navigator, Verrazano, exploring
 for France, sailed into New
 York bay. This first visit to
 New York made little stir and
 was soon forgotten, and it was
 Hudson's rediscovery which
 tempted the Dutch to send over-
 colonists and obtain for the
 Dutch West India company a
 monopoly of the Dutch fur trade
 in America. The new colony
 which was started in 1623 called
 its territory New Netherlands,
 after its mother country, and
 their principal city New Amster-
 dam. It is interesting to reflect
 that Manhattan Island, which is
 now New York city, was pur-
 chased from the Indians for \$24
 worth of beads and ribbons.
 Even in its earliest days the set-
 tlement on Manhattan Island
 was cosmopolitan. In 1643 it is
 reported that eighteen different
 languages were spoken there.
 In 1664 the English captured
 New Netherlands, and King
 Charles II presented the colony
 to his brother, the duke of York,
 who was later King James II,
 and its name was then changed
 to New York.

New York played a leading
 part in the formation of the
 United States. It was Alexan-
 der Hamilton who was New
 York's representative in framing
 the Constitution and it was New
 York city which was selected as
 the first capital of the new
 Union, where Washington was
 inaugurated the first president.
 Ever since the Empire state, as
 New York is sometimes called,
 has held the deciding voice in
 presidential elections. Though
 its size is only 48,204 square
 miles, not quite half way to the
 list of states according to area,
 its great population gives New
 York forty-five presidential elec-
 tions, the largest number of any
 of the states.
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IS TEACHING IN UNIVERSITY.

Miss Daisy Jones of Vernon Appointed
 Assistant in Business Adminis-
 tration at Austin.

Miss Daisy Jones of Vernon is an
 assistant in the School of Business Ad-
 ministration at the University of
 Texas. This appointment was made as
 a result of heavy enrollment in that de-
 partment of the institution.

Miss Jones is a graduate of the Ver-
 non high school. She was a student
 last year in the University of Texas,
 and was employed as secretary this
 summer in the State Department of
 Education.

More than 500 students have enroll-
 ed for Business Administration in the
 University, 400 being in the beginning
 class, seventy in the advanced steno-
 graphic course, and thirty in the non-
 credit course in typewriting. The work
 is in charge of Miss Florence Stulken.

Other assistants recently appointed
 are Misses Florence Cowdry, Susie Tay-
 lor, and Katherine Watts, Robert Til-
 lery and Lloyd Martin.

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Backache is usually kidney ache and
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 the remedy recommended by your
 friends and neighbors. Ask your neigh-
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Mrs. A. J. Butcher, N. Bowie St.,
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 ney Pills with great results. Not long
 ago my back and kidneys were in pretty
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 right across my loins and was so lame
 and sore I could hardly bend over.
 When I did stoop over such sharp pain
 took me in my back and across my
 shoulders that I could hardly straight-
 en up. I also suffered from dizzy
 spells. My kidneys were weak and ir-
 regular in action. I saw Doan's Kid-
 ney Pills advertised and got a supply.
 Four boxes of this medicine cured me
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Price 60c, at all dealers. Don't sim-
 ply ask for a kidney remedy—get
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Can Tomatoes.....	10c
Can Corn.....	12c
Qt. Can Syrup.....	20c
Can Hominy.....	10c
P. & G. Soap, 2 bars.....	15c
Can Pork and Beans.....	10c
Pet Milk, large can.....	16c
Can Blackberries.....	20c
Pound Wapco Coffee.....	28c
Can Peaches.....	25c

Many other bargains too numer-
 ous to mention.

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Vernon, Texas

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\$125.00

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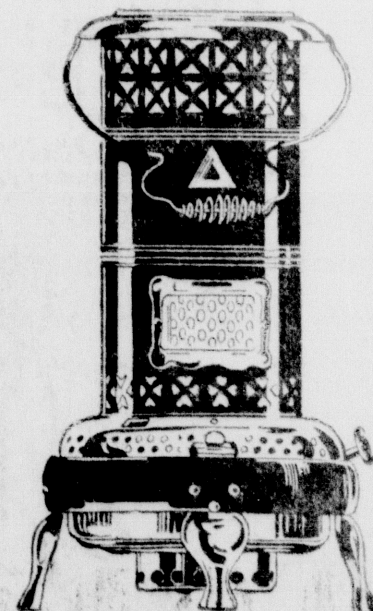
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STATE DEPARTMENT ISSUES RULES ON FREE TEXT BOOKS

Instructions Embody Points Over Which Much Controversy Has Arisen—Old Copies of Books Should Be Returned At Once For Credit—All Phases Of Subject Covered.

Instructions concerning free State text books have come to the office of L. A. Hollar, county superintendent of schools, and contain specifications and suggestions that are foreign to the minds of many school trustees and others interested in education. Considerable controversy has arisen from time to time over certain rules concerning free text books, and there has been a variance of opinion on these subjects. One regulation in particular deals with the return of the old books to depositories. It specifies that all copies of languages and grammars used during the past two years, and American histories should be returned to the proper sources in order to receive credit. According to Mr. Hollar, it will only be necessary for trustees to furnish him with the numbers of these books, and it will not be necessary to supply the volumes themselves. By sending in the numbers the credit can be obtained.

Following are the most recent instructions on this phase of school work.

Instructions Concerning Books

1. All books for common school districts should be requisitioned from the county superintendent's depository, whether on original requisition or emergency orders.

2. The original requisitions of independent districts of 150 scholars or less may also be filled by the county superintendent, if the school desires it.

3. Emergency orders of all independent districts of 500 scholars or less should be sent to the county superintendent for filling.

4. All emergency orders must be signed by the president (chairman) of the school board. It is not required that they be made on the regular requisition forms.

Must Protect Books.

1. All books must be covered either by home-made covers of heavy paper, or by patent covers. If a pupil refuses to cover his books, they should be taken up until he is willing to comply with the rules.

2. It is advised that teachers make weekly or bi-monthly inspection of the books to see that they are being cared for properly.

3. Pupils should be required to learn the Good Citizenship Code, found in the pamphlet, "Rules and Directions for the Care of the Books."

4. Books that have been handled by children suffering from a serious contagious disease should be burned. In addition to such diseases as scarlet fever and diphtheria, itch should be added. Pupils suffering from any such disease should be at once excluded from school, until full recovery. This is required by the health laws of the State.

Rules For Selling

1. Pupils may purchase their books.

DEFEATS CECIL LEITCH IN GOLF CHAMPIONSHIP



Mrs. Frederic C. Letts, Jr.

Mrs. Frederic C. Letts, Jr., of the Opwentsis Club, Chicago, who sprung the surprise of the women's national golf championship tournament now being played at the Hollywood Country Club, Deal, N. J., by defeating Nine Cecil Leitch, British, French and Canadian champion, by 1 up to the second round of the tournament. Miss Letts was picked by many to annex the American title.

if they desire, paying for new copies the retail price.

2. If pupils wish to buy used text books, a reduction of 20 per cent of the retail price for each year used may be allowed. This reduction is based on the assumption that the life of a book is five years. The books have not been used long enough to verify this basis.

Fines and Damaged Books.

1. Books that come to pieces because of poor binding should not be charged against the pupils, but this Department should be notified of the names of such texts, that we may hold the publishers to their contracts.

2. If a child is issued a book in good condition, and damages it to such an extent that it cannot be used again, he should be required to pay for the book, allowing a 20 per cent reduction for each year used. The book remains the property of the State. If this rule is strictly enforced, it will very soon teach the children respect for the State's property.

3. In case books are not too badly damaged for further use, but teachers feel that they are abused more than ordinary wear justifies, a small fine may be charged in proportion to the damage, for its wholesome effect upon the pupils in teaching them to care for their books.

4. Teachers are asked to use discretion in requiring pupils to pay for books. They should not be charged for those that the health officer requires destroyed because of contagious diseases in the home where they are used or for those burned in the loss of a home by fire, or for those lost in other non-preventable accidents.

Must Keep Careful Tab.

1. The law requires that money accruing from sales of texts, or from any other source, be sent in monthly to the Text Book Fund. A report on the number and kinds of books sold must accompany the money-order, made on our Form I and sworn to before a notary. This form does not include a list of the supplementary readers, as it was not anticipated that many of these would be sold.

2. The remittances and reports on Form I of both independent and common school districts should be made direct to this department. Copies of all reports should be kept on file by the schools, for they must be included in the annual report.

3. Each school must make an annual report on Form VI at the end of each session. Until this report has been made and a copy of it filed with the school board, the last month's salary vouchers should not be approved. One copy of the report of all independent districts should be sent to this office, and one copy of the common school districts and of those independent districts under the jurisdiction of the county superintendent, should be sent to the county superintendent.

4. Each school should preserve carefully all invoices, or receipts for books transferred to or from the school, as this information also must be given on

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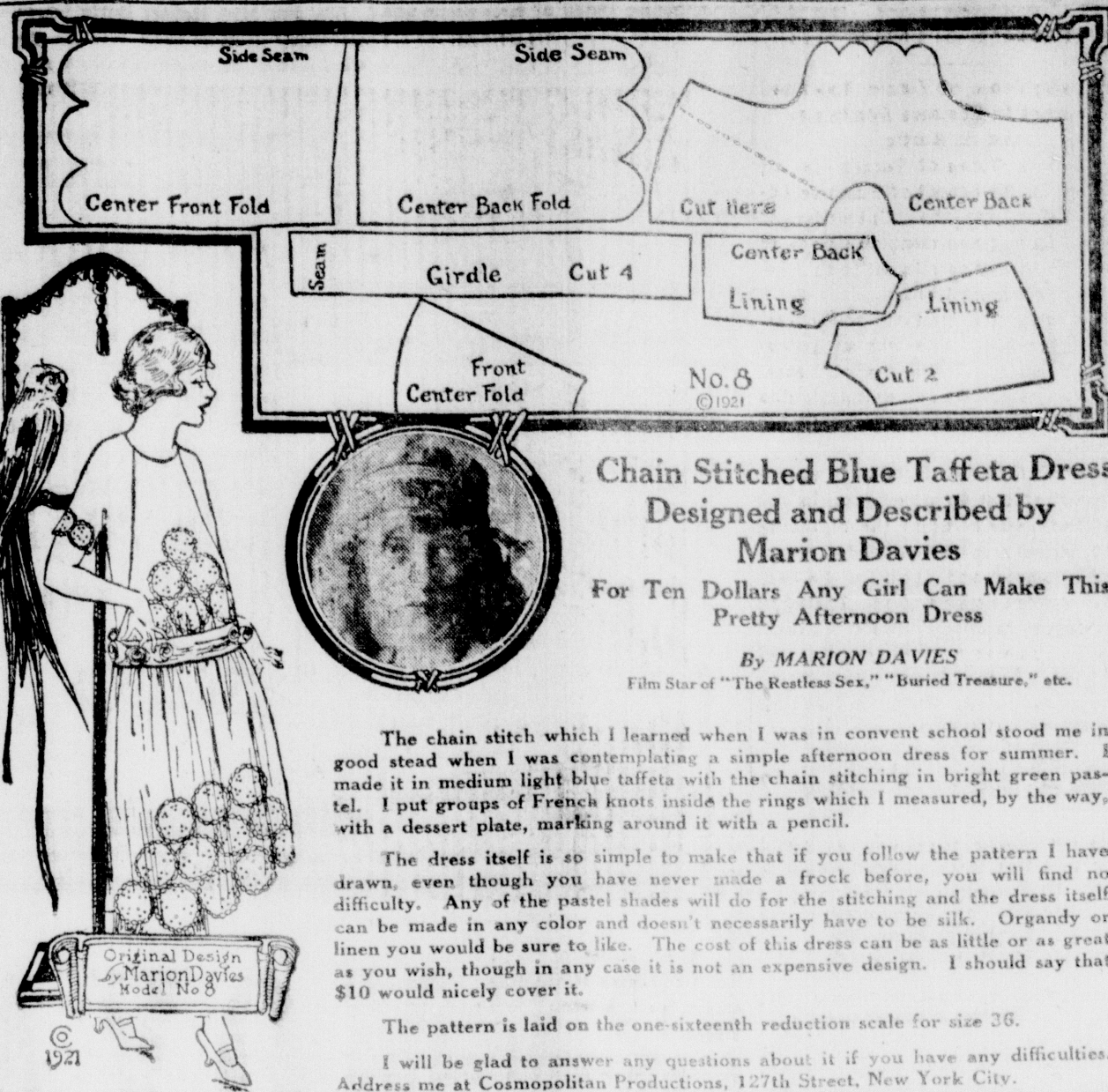
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the annual report.

Can Buy No More.

1. No more books can be purchased from pupils, as the time limit under which these could be purchased expired on September 1st, 1921. The law makes no provision for the State's buying back from pupils books of the present adoption that they have bought.

VII. Return of Old Books to Depositories.

1. All copies of the languages and

grammars used the past two years

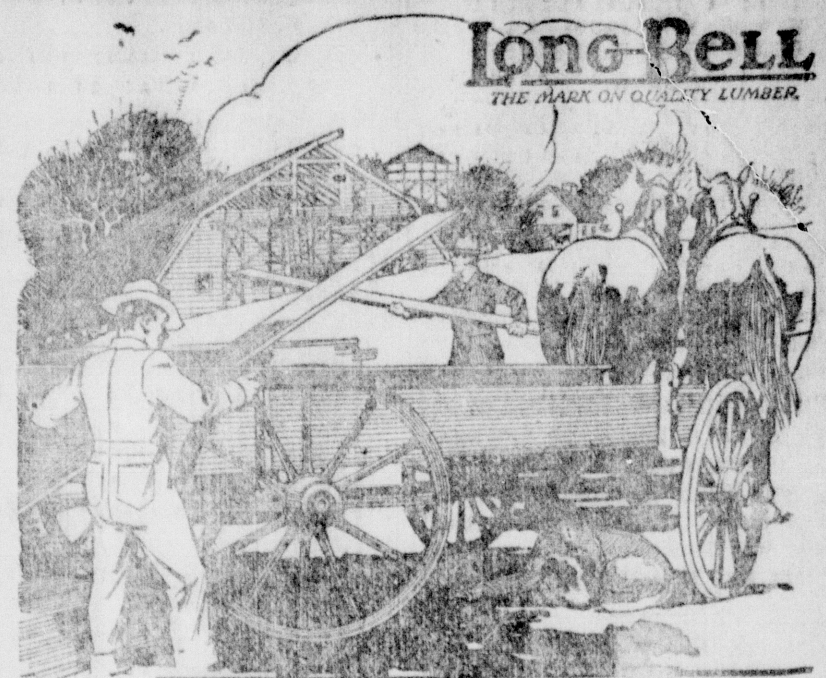
should be returned at once, to Glen &

Co., Dallas, Texas, with a list of the books and the name, district number and county of the school. All copies of Cousins and Hill's American History should be returned to Southern School Book Depository, Dallas, Texas. A list of both should be sent to this office on Form III. Every book returned means that much saved for the avail-

able School Fund.

2. No other texts should be returned to the depositories without first writing to this office. No texts should ever be sent to this office, as we do not keep a supply of books, and it is extra expense to send them on to Dallas, or to return them to the schools.

Miss Lucile Marr of Fargo was in Vernon Saturday to sign a contract to teach this year.



Don't Waste Lumber —Use a Plan

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And they answer the boys' every requirement. Never have we shown better caps for the money. Plenty of sizes this week.



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Not just Underwear, but well made, warm garments that are a pleasure to wear. In all the different weights in cotton and wool. \$1.50 suit and up to—

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This Week Is a Good Time to Buy Your Stetson

While assortments are their best and you can get your size in the style and color you want. Stetsons at \$7 and up to \$15. Other good hats at—

\$3.00 and \$5.00

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ASSOCIATED STORES

NEW SCHOOL BUILDING READY

Structure At Odell Erected At Cost \$97,325.00 Where Old Building Stood.

Odell's new school building is expected to be ready next week for the opening of school. The structure is two stories high of brick construction, and was erected at a cost of \$97,325. Fifteen thousand dollars worth of bonds were voted.

Fire destroyed the school building at Odell last spring.

Trustees of the Odell school are W. P. Spier, R. L. Hart, Earl Beggs, A. B. Thrash, A. C. Rogers, W. A. White and M. Crowder. T. E. Pierce is principal. Other teachers are Mrs. T. E. Pierce, Mrs. R. B. Thompson, Miss Elizabeth Blackley, Miss Rosa Heavaty, and Miss Georgia Chapman.

VERNON MEETS CHILDRESS

SATURDAY IN FOOTBALL

Captain J. A. Morrow will leave Saturday morning for Childress, with his local football team to meet the strong high school aggregation of that city in what will be the third game of the season for Vernon. It has not yet been decided how many men will take the trip. Childress is known to have a husky representation this season, and recently defeated Wellington in a game although suffering defeat early in the season at the hands of Altus.

Morrow is working his men hard for the contest, and expects the team to be in the best of shape. Barring minor injuries, the squad now is in good condition. Strenuous scrimmaging is the program for the remainder of the week.

India's Caste System.

The caste system of India is the cancer that gnaws at her heart. To the uninformed, it is astounding to know that in that land there are 2,378 principal castes and tribes. These are subdivided so that there are 100,000 caste divisions in India and no two of these can intermarry. Of the 153,000,000 women with civil state, one in six is a widow. They are not allowed to remarry. Of these widows, their census gives 111,973 under ten years of age and 17,703 under five years of age. This is an unthinkable condition existing in one of the oldest civilizations of the earth.

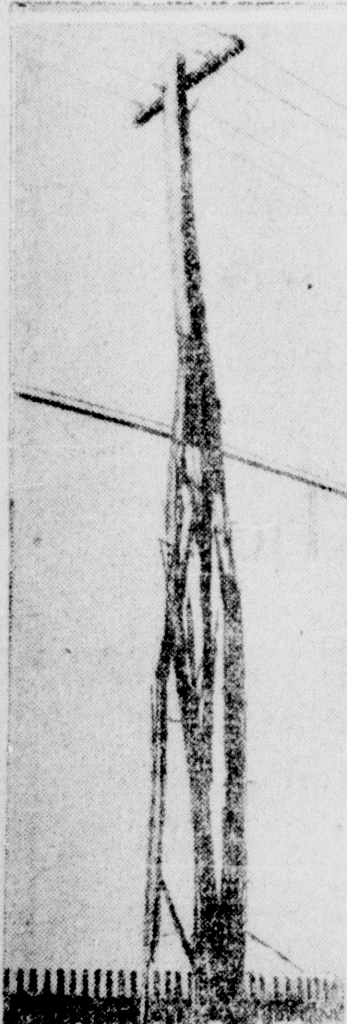
To Honor Soldier Dead.

With the entire nation paused at noon in two minutes of silent prayer, American Legion service men of the world war from State and territory will do homage to the unknown American soldier at Arlington national cemetery on Armistice Day. Medal of Honor men also have been designated by the government as official mourners. Honorary pallbearers will be eight generals of the army and four admirals of the navy, with non-commissioned and petty officers as body bearers. President Harding will deliver the funeral oration.

Ronda Wants New School.

D. Melton, Albert Stone, and W. W. Welch, school trustees of Ronda, were in Vernon Saturday to request County Superintendent of Schools Hollar to get bids on a new school house for their district. It is proposed constructing a two room building.

FREAK OF THE STORM THAT IS STILL STANDING



This telegraph pole on the Lincoln Westbury Road near Mineola, Long Island, was the target of a bolt of lightning in a severe storm. The center part of the pole is shattered, while the upper and lower parts retain their natural appearances. The weird part of the story is that the pole is still standing, and here it is.

CHAMPION OF 3 COUNTRIES AFTER AMERICAN CROWN



Miss Cecid Leitch, British, French and Canadian woman golf champion photographed on the course of the Hollywood Country Club at Desh, N. J., where she will play in the American title tournament. Miss Leitch, who is undoubtedly the best woman golfer in the world today, is picked by the experts to annex the American title. She has defeated Miss Alexa Stirling, the defending champion, three times this year.

SIX TEACHERS SUCCESSFULLY PASS STATE EXAMINATIONS

Six teachers passed the State examination conducted here Friday and Saturday of last week. Certificates were awarded as follows:

Miss Cordella Chaffin, Vernon, first grade; Miss Lessie D. Williams, Odell, second grade; Mrs. Fannie Swinney, Gasoline, second grade; W. J. Swinney, Gasoline, second grade; A. G. Johnson, Odell, second grade; Miss Faye Cook, Tolbert, second grade.

Odell School Opens Monday.

T. E. Pierce, principal at Odell school, was in Vernon yesterday. The session at that place will in all probability commence next Monday. Mr. Pierce said, and the enrollment is expected to be from 175 to 200 students. A new school building has just been completed at Odell.

C. C. White, a school teacher from Oklaunion, was in Vernon Saturday.

MRS. HUGGINS HONORS HIGH SCHOOL TEACHERS

Mrs. W. H. Huggins was hostess Tuesday evening to local high school teachers at her studio on West Paradise street. Her pupils delighted the guests with a music recital, after which 42 was enjoyed.

The following program was presented: Song "Fickle Little Butterfly"; "Band Patrol" from "Ruins of Athens," Beethoven, Louise Baird; "Robins Return," Fischer, Hazel McElroy; "Melody of Love," Engleman, Frances Shaffer; "La Pevadora," D. Costa, Christine Gregory; "Dance in The Grove by Hyatt," Ada Lathum; Duo "Military March," Engleman, Frances Collins and Mrs. Huggins; Song "Little Buttercup," from H. M. S. Elmore Opera, Hazel Vaughn; "Balley Dance," Pratt, Marie Yarbrough; "Mimic," Paderewski, Kathleen Batchelor; reading, Hazel Vaughn; "Moonlight on the Hudson," G. D. Wilson, Ruth Walker; "March Triumphant," A.

Florida, Louise Baird at first piano and Mrs. Huggins at second piano.

The guests were: Mr. and Mrs. E. L. Dohoney, Mr. and Mrs. J. N. Fulcher, Mr. and Mrs. Knox Kinard, Misses Dora Flack, Frances Oliver, Sallie Fellman, Anna Joe Pendleton, and J. A. Morrow of the high school; Mr. and Mrs. L. G. Hawkins, Mr. and Mrs. E. P. Hicks, Mr. and Mrs. J. V. Townsend, Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Birdsong, Mr. and Mrs. B. O. Brown, and Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Huggins.

Delicious refreshments were served.

Crowell Bureau Cotton Burns.

Eighty-eight bales of farm bureau cotton burned last week at Crowell, according to a report reaching Vernon. Insurance, it is said, was paid in four days at the rate of the current market price.

To Have Box Supper.

The Tolbert Woman's Club will hold a box supper in the school house Friday night. The proceeds will go to the school. Every one is invited to be present and all the women are requested to bring boxes.

L. W. Bellenger of Newcastle spent the week-end in Vernon.

Mr. and Mrs. Robert Boyle returned Saturday evening from Wichita Falls, where they attended meetings of the Amarillo Presbytery and the Synod of Texas.

E. F. Waggoner of Bugskuffe was in Vernon Monday.

Prof. J. M. Hogg of Tolbert was in Vernon Saturday.

Miss Lucy Neat of Wichita Falls has been visiting Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Vernon. Miss Neat taught school in Vernon last year and has many friends here.

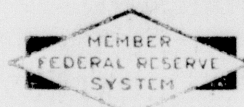
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Prices Smashed in This Wonderful Value Giving Sale on Quality Merchandise

Nothing Reserved. Our Complete Stock Goes In This Sale

Thursday, October 13

Before moving, we desire to reduce our stock and to do this we are offering everything in our store in our

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To do this we are making some unheard of prices on all of our new Fall merchandise

COAT SUITS, COATS, DRESSES

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In fact, every article in our store is cut from

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right at the very beginning of the season. Think of it! This sale comes at the BEGINNING not the END of the season at these remarkable prices.

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Why make the wife undertake all the work necessary in preparing all the meals? Give her a rest now and then. Bring your family or guests here and enjoy our Special Meals, prepared exactly to your taste.

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At prices that will make my business grow a little faster. I sell only quality goods and even in the cheaper goods of meat like dry salt and smoked bacon I do not buy the heavier and coarser grades.

Prices on a few articles follow:

Dry Salt Bacon, 18 to 20 average, per lb.	16c
Smoked Bacon, 18 to 20 average per lb.	19c
Full Cream Cheese, per lb.	35c
Pure Country made Serrano, per 10 lb. bkt.	\$1.00
Best of Vernon Flour, per sack.	\$2.15
Meal, per 25 lb. sack.	60c

Have in stock a fine assortment of Candies in five cent packages. Also Heinz New Crop Dill Pickles, in the barrel.

You are always welcome to come in and look around whether you buy or not. Am always glad for you to see the quality of my goods and the sanitary manner in which I handle groceries.

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CASH AND CARRY

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JAPAN'S DELEGATES TO ARMS PARLEY



According to dispatches from Tokyo, the Japanese delegates to the Washington Conference on Limitation of Armaments and Problems of the Pacific have been officially announced as follows: Prince Iyesaro Tokugawa, President of the House of Peers; Vice Admiral Tomosaburo Kato, Minister of the Navy; and Baron Kijuro Shidehara, Ambassador to the United States. The secretaries to the chief delegates will be Masanao Hanibara, Vice Foreign Minister; Tsuneo Matsudaira, chief of the American and European section of the Foreign Office; Dr. K. Hayashi and Toru Takao, counsellors of the Foreign Office.

PERHAPS HE HAD BETTER TAKE HIS IDEA TO THE FAIR.

Morgan Lindsey, mechanic at Napier Bros. Motor Co., has developed an entirely new method of unclothing the human figure in the space of a few seconds, provided that same figure will abide rigidly by all the rules and regulations Mr. Lindsey specifies. The aforementioned young man has personally tested out the efficacy of his idea and discovered that while the effect on the clothes is not particularly edifying, there is no doubt that the result finds the wearer stripped of all garnishments in the traditional Adam mode.

The innovation came to light Saturday morning while Lindsey was laboring over a particularly refractory bit of a Ford secured in a somewhat elaborate piece of power machinery in the garage. One feature of this mechanism is a revolving piece of metal that does any one of a hundred things one is charged for every time he trusts his flivver to the mercies of the modern jitney specialist.

Loses His Foothold.

Footling on an oily trend was too precarious, and Lindsey suddenly slipped until he fell almost upon the whirling mechanism. He managed, however, to brace himself with his hands as the revolving points caught his clothing, and thus saved himself from what would undoubtedly have proved serious injury. Robbed of his human prey, the machinery snatched eagerly at the overalls and underclothing in its grasp, and when the switch was pulled by a fellow mechanic, Lindsey was a human reproduction of Mr. September Morn.

His costume, although decollete, hardly revealed that of the shivering one in the limpid depths, however, for

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Dr. E. B. Jones Res. Phone 498

Elder J. T. Cabe of Electra was in Vernon yesterday. Mr. Cabe formerly lived here, and has many friends in Vernon.

W. N. Stokes is in Houston on matters connected with the Federal Land Bank. Mr. Stokes is secretary of the Wilberger Farm Loan Association.

Farm Loans

SEEK M. Fentress and R. W. (Bob) Walker, Room 205 Waggoner Natl. Bank building. 75-Sa.

F. M. McKinley is expected home tomorrow from Dallas.

Mr. and Mrs. A. H. Murchison expect to leave tomorrow for Terrell and Farmersville, Texas, and Moditt, Oklahoma.

Mrs. Pauline Morris, who is in Rochester, Minn., for her health, will be obliged to remain there a month, her physicians state. Mrs. Morris is undergoing treatment at the Mayo brothers sanitarium.

Mrs. S. W. Bailey left for Dallas where she will attend the Fair and visit relatives for a week.

T. G. Knight, past commander of Worth Commandery 19 at Fort Worth, has been in Vernon inspecting the local commandery.

Albert D. Sheppard left Saturday night for Fort Worth where he was called by the illness of a relative.

Mr. and Mrs. C. A. Richie returned from Dallas where Mr. Richie has been undergoing treatment on his eye.

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562-564 American National Bank Bldg.
Wichita Falls, Texas.

Wish you boys would loosen up a little—Old Mc. 76-4tc

John Storey and Shirley Cook drove to Wichita Falls on business Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. L. G. Hawkins left this morning for Long Beach, Calif., where they were called by the serious illness of Mrs. Hawkins' father, Robert Housels.

Holcomb Training School, Vernon, Texas—Business Course, Literary Course. The great combination wins. Best courses ever offered. Write for information. 75-8tp

For the Young Business Man

Some day the young business man will be a big business man.

Right now, perhaps, there isn't any money profit in carrying his checking account. But some day, as that account grows, and as the owner grows with it, the bank will be repaid for having counseled the young man and co-operated with him in his business success.

So, this bank invites the young business man who wishes to grow. We have seen many a small account grow into a large one and have earned the thanks for helpful service cheerfully rendered at all times.

We want your account. But, what is more, we want you as a growing business man to associate yourself with this bank.

FARMERS STATE BANK

Things For The Table

Every family whose groceries come from this store will have ample reason to be satisfied, for each item will be of the finest quality possible to procure.

Make up your list now, and take advantage of our fast delivery service.

Remember—Twice-A-Week, on Tuesdays and Fridays,
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What Will You Give
For Christmas This Year?

Sort of puzzling, isn't it? And yet Christmas is less than 90 shopping days off.

Sure, you can't afford to neglect or forget friends this year any more than other years, but you may want to remember them at less expense.

Christmas Cards Offer
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Thoughtful friends appreciate this form of Christmas remembrance. You can thus remember a number of friends for what it would cost you to give a present to one.

We Are Showing Four of the
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COTTON TAKES SHARP DECLINE
EVACUATION OF NICOMEDIA BY THE GREEK RESIDENTS

relatively smaller compared with gin returns of previous seasons, probably figuring less than last year to October 18, when 5,755,000 bales were accounted for, whereas to September 25, ginnings this year were 2,908,000, vs. 2,250,000 last year.

Indications are that by November 1, all but the remnant of this year's production will likely have passed through the gins, some gins in localities not having been a help, because of the crop failure. The October 3 government report estimated this year's crop at only 6,537,000 bales, whereas to November 1 last year there was ginned 7,500,000 bales, or nearly 1,000,000 bales more than this year's crop promises to be.

After November 1 last year ginning amounted to 5,762,000 bales, whereas after November 1 this year, ginnings will likely be nil. In other words there was within less than 1,000,000 bales as much cotton ginned after November 1 last year as this year's crop promises to be. Could the prospective situation be more bullish?

Yield May Surprise.

A. Norden and Co. of New York make the following comment on the situation of last week:

"The two government reports of Monday are followed by a sharp selling movement, partly hedging of spots, partly voluntary or forced liquidation of long commitments, and partly short sales, and since then the market has been nervous and erratic, with the declines apparently having stronger backing than the advances, probably owing to increasing pressure of spot cotton, with the marketing process in full swing. It is becoming more apparent every day that holders are in general willing to sell around the present level, though doubtless they would withdraw on severe breaks.

With no further condition to be issued, the official indication of the crop, until the final estimate of the Agricultural Bureau in December, is 6,537,000 bales, but many find it difficult to reconcile such a theoretical indication with the actual fact that 2,907,550 of those bales had already been ginned up to Saturday, September 24th; the skepticism aroused by those ginning figures has undoubtedly neutralized to a great extent the effect of the bullish condition figure and crop indication, especially as last year the Bureau indication was 1,300,000 bales below the actual output.

The argument is, of course, that this crop is more nearly picked and ginned than any previous crop, and from all reports this assertion seems to be warranted; it loses some of its force, however, from having been brought out with the same emphasis year after year since the periodical reports of the Census Bureau began to be of interest."

RAIL WAY TIME TABLE

—Denver Northbound—	
No. 7 (through)	5:20 a. m.
No. 2	3:15 p. m.
No. 1 (through)	3:59 p. m.
—Denver Southbound—	
No. 8 (through)	12:55 a. m.
No. 2 (through)	1:09 p. m.
No. 4	10:40 a. m.
—Frisco Outbound—	
Train 622 for Clinton	8:00 a. m.
Train 618 for Okla. City	8:30 p. m.
—Frisco Inbound—	
Train 621 from Clinton	8:00 p. m.
Train 617 from Okla. City	6:45 a. m.

Burning Ford Causes Alarm.

A Ford touring car belonging to C. A. Lawhorn occasioned calling out the fire department about 4 p. m. Monday when faulty electrical wiring caused flames to burst forth. The blaze was extinguished with little damage to the car.

Doctors and Medical Students.

FOR SALE—The surgical instruments, medical books and medicines of the late Dr. McBride all or part. Bargain sale.

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Revival At Oklaunion.

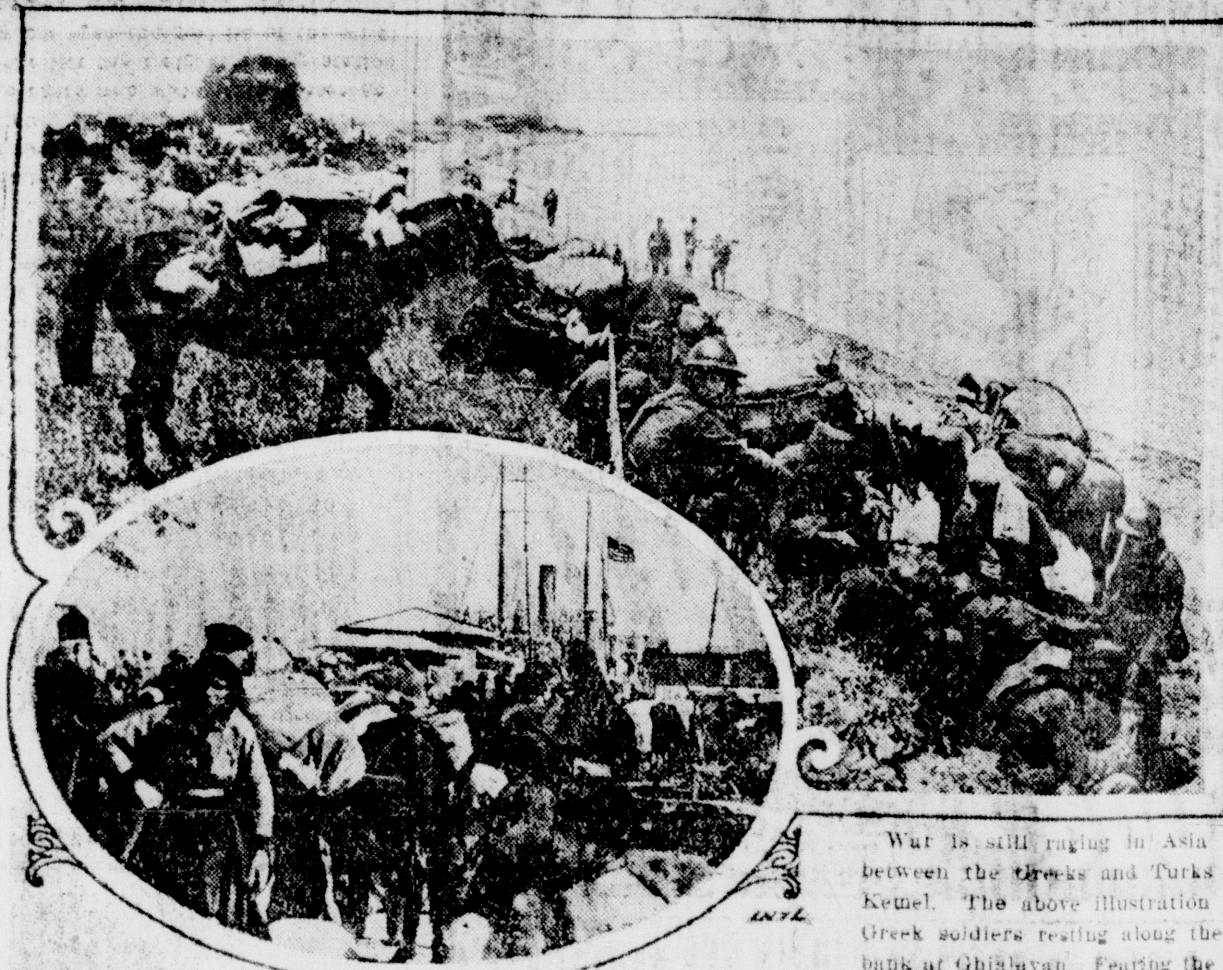
Rev. B. A. Beasley of Abilene will commence a revival meeting Saturday night, October 15, at the Oklaunion Church of Christ. A special invitation has been extended for everyone to come.

Farm Loans

SEES M. Peatross and R. W. (Bob) Walker, Room 205 Wagoner Natl Bank building.

Miss Nellie Allingham went Saturday to La Platte, Mo., where she will visit relatives.

Why buy a winter mattress when you can get a long-lift mattress at Price's Mattress Factory for \$8.42? Deaf Smith street.



Nicomedia has evacuated the city. The photograph below shows Greek ships lying in the harbor of the Gulf of Ismid. It is the capital of Bithynia and about fifty miles from Constantinople.

War is still raging in Asia Minor between the Greeks and Turks under Kemal. The above illustration shows Greek soldiers resting along the river bank at Qishlavan. Fearing the wrath of the Turks, the Greek population of

IN SOCIETY

DELPHIAN CLUB MEETS
WITH MRS. E. RHOADS

The Delphian Club held its third meeting of the year at the home of Mrs. Emory Rhoads last Wednesday. Mrs. W. N. Stokes was leader of the lesson, the subject of which was "The Classical School of Music," with especial attention given to Mozart and Beethoven. Refreshments were served during the social hour at the close of the literary discussion. Twenty-five of the thirty-four members were present at the meeting last week.

The club roll, revised for the year 1921-22, is as follows: Mesdames W. W. Bennett, Frank Byrd, W. D. Berry, O. A. Brunson, Y. H. Babash, H. O. Cole, M. C. Culbertson, R. B. Gibson, G. G. Kemp, F. M. Kemp, Roy Martin, Emory Rhoads, W. N. Stokes, Clint Swartwood, R. E. Townsend, Arthur Vernon, B. A. Williams, J. W. Wheatley, W. R. Moore, M. J. Moore, J. E. Morrow, E. L. Pendleton, Howard Timberlake, R. D. L. Killough, Joe Parker, W. A. Wilhelm and H. B. Wilhelm; and Misses Cleo Bowers, Minnie King, Ethel Haney, Esther Swartwood, Harriet Thomas, Erma Rhoads and Alvin Coleman. The club meets on the second and third Wednesdays of each month.

John Storey went to Wichita Falls Saturday on business.

L. H. Squires went to Dallas Saturday night.

Chandler Caraway spent the week end with relatives here.

THIS POWDER BOX IS WORN LIKE WRIST WATCH



It's worn like a watch and looks like a timepiece. It wasn't a wristwatch that gleamed golden on the slender white arm extended to the strap in the subway car. Passengers noticed and wondered why the octagonal gold case on the neat strap had neither dial nor hands visible. Perhaps it was something new in "hunting case" wrist watches. Or perhaps something new in lockets. It was neither. Some of the passengers who watched the passenger as she left the strap at a busy station saw her open the gold lid of the wrist ornament and extract therefrom a powder-puff, which she applied to her nose, carefully watching the operation in a small mirror under the lid of the box.

GIVEN SILVER CHEST BY CLEVELAND BALL FANS



Peckinpough presented with silver chest.

Peckinpough's father presenting the Yankee shortstop with a silver chest sent him by Cleveland fans. The presentation was made just before the second game of the world series got under way.

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Vernon Afternoon and Night Mon. Oct. 17

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DAILY

Marriage Licenses Issued.

Marriage licenses were issued October 6 to Henry Janen and Miss Martha Hempel, October 6 to R. S. Hicks and Miss Mildred Reando, October 6 to Jesse A. Biff and Miss Ethel Greer of Electra, October 7 to J. T. Stephens of Burkholder and Miss Lena Vera Lucky of Fort Worth, October 8 to W. S. Haynes of Vernon and Miss Iva Dodson of Weatherford, October 8 to W. R. Fore and Miss Viola Hicks, October 9 to L. G. Withers and Miss Lena McCroskey, October 10 to G. H. Coker of Rochester and Mrs. M. E. Greer of Electra, October 10 to H. T. Hildebrandt and Miss Mary Lowke, October 10 to M. T. Bickley and Miss Myrtle Parks of Electra.

Court Assesses Penalty For Theft.

E. C. Fore plead guilty Saturday afternoon in the county court to a charge of theft and was fined \$10 and costs and sentenced to twenty days on the road.

Record classified ads bring results

Important Change
In Time of Trains

A Change in Schedule of Certain Frisco Trains Will Be Made Effective

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Now is the most logical time of all to start those new buildings you are going to have for winter. If you have no new buildings in mind, you are bound to have more or less repair work to be done on some of your old buildings.

Building Material

is worth studying. You want value received for the money that you put into any building, be it a chicken house or a fine residence. We carry a complete stock of Building Material and take just as much pleasure, give the same excellent courtesy, service and building helps when we are figuring on a chicken house as we do the residence.

See our prices on Builder's Hardware, paint, oils, varnishes, or anything else that goes into, on, or around a building.

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